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CRONES PENS NEW THREAT

N.Y. DELEGATES UNPLEDGED TO ANY NOMINEE

Whitman Battles Barnes to a Draw, but Loses Control of Body.

BRING THE FIGHT HERE.

New York, Feb. 16.—[Special.]—New York will send its delegates-at-large—its Big Four—unpledged to the Republican national convention in June.

An effort on the part of Henry L. Stimson, ex-secretary of war, to instruct them for Elihu Root for president was defeated by William Barnes, the Albany boss, who explained later that he was acting as Root wished him to act.

Also, it was explained, the delegation is now free to go for Justice Hughes if that seems best at the last. However, three of the four are favorable to Root and the choice is interpreted in some quarters as a move "to kill off Roosevelt with Root."

The Big Four, selected in the Republican state convention this afternoon in Carnegie hall, are:

JAMES WADSWORTH JR., U. S. senator.

CHARLES S. WHITMAN, governor.

FREDERICK C. TANNER, chairman of the state committee.

ELON R. BROWN, Republican leader in the state senate.

FEUD KEPT UNDER COVER.

The convention ended without public exhibition of the bitterness and hatred that marked "Boss" Barnes' effort to make Gov. Whitman ridiculous and Gov. Whitman's effort to finish the work that Col. Roosevelt began in Syracuse—the destruction of Barnes' leadership.

The peacemakers of the organization who were tired eyed and weary this morning after all night labors to convince platform makers and delegate nominators that the organization ought not to be converted, at the outset of a great campaign, into a mere vehicle for Whitman intrigues or Barnes vengefulness, were able to block a scandalous fight upon the floor of the convention; but they were not able to prevent the rancors of the Barnes-Whitman feud from flaring up furiously in committee meetings.

COMPROMISE IS RESULT.

The result of it all was that a sort of compromise was reached; a sort of surface amiability. The governor obtained certain concessions that he had demanded and lost others. Mr. Barnes won some advantages and lost others. Each was saying tonight with every appearance of genial sincerity that the results were satisfactory. As a matter of fact, neither was satisfied and each is merely poised for another spring.

From the Whitman standpoint, the pleasing results of a lively two days' convention struggle were these:

The governor defeated a carefully planned scheme to commit the state convention to an indorsement of Elihu Root for president.

He forced commendation of his administration and thereby put the organization on record.

He secured a place among the "big four," the delegates at large to the national convention, despite Barnes' threat to prevent his selection.

The displeasing results were as frankly

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Opera House Fire Panic Kills 9 in Texas; 50 Injured

Two Men Die Saving Children as Flames Cause Stampede.

ROOF FALLS ON THEM

Mexia, Tex., Feb. 16.—[Special.]—The Mexia Opera house, crowded with men, women and children, who were attending the annual art exhibit of the public schools, burned tonight, taking a death toll of nine and causing injury to more than fifty.

The death list was announced as follows:

Claude Johnson.
Prof. A. B. Wiesner, superintendent of city schools.
Mrs. Wiesner.
Prof. A. C. Bruton, Winnsboro, Tex., a son of Prof. Bruton, is missing.
Oscar Johnson.
Paul Yeldell.
Ray Cox.
Ray Hitt.
Charles Womack, Negro.

Several persons were so badly injured that they may die at any time. Among these are: Mrs. John Davis, Mrs. Roy Bass, M. B. Pierson, and a Mrs. Lyle.

Two Teachers Die Heroes.

The two teachers lost their lives in a heroic attempt to rescue the children, who were panic stricken. The men tried in vain to check the mad rush for exits when the flames were first discovered in the old structure. They stood within the burning building and assisted many aged and beaten children to safety until the roof fell in, crushing them beneath heavy timbers. Their bodies later were recovered, badly burned.

The fire originated in an explosion in a grocery store that had been closed for several days. It adjoined the opera house and the flames spread rapidly to that building, where several hundred people were gathered.

Homes Opened to Victims.

Scores of homes in the little town were turned into hospitals or morgues. The volunteer firemen battled in vain to check the flames, which swept an entire block, causing a loss of approximately $100,000. A clothing store, drug store, the Farmers' State bank, and a residence were burned. The few physicians in Mexia worked alone for hours until relieved by doctors who came in automobiles from nearby towns.

For weeks the children of the public school had planned for the entertainment that ended so disastrously. The quick spreading of the flames and the panic of the children, intensified by the explosion, caused the loss of life and the injuries to many. The exits were piled up with human beings and those caught in the fire trap fought madly in an effort to save themselves.

Several men who tried to rescue children and calm the crowd were injured.

"UNCLE JOHN" SLAYS SELF BEFORE HIS CHILD FRIENDS

Old Soldier Who Told School Youngsters War Tales and Spent Pension in Candles a Suicide.

John W. Keder was an old soldier. He was 64 years old. Something of a mystic, too, was "Uncle John," as the children called him. They all knew him in the neighborhood. He lived at the Cecil hotel, 1360 East Sixty-fourth street.

Yesterday the youngsters came tripping home from school. He was sitting in the hotel. He walked out to greet them. They laughed and he smiled.

Then his face took on a strange look. He walked away, and as they started to run after him he pulled a revolver from his pocket, pressed it against his breast, and shot himself dead.

There is mourning in the neighborhood now for "Uncle John."

CHEF LOCATED; LETTER TELLS POISON SECRET

More Death Warnings in Epistle Mailed from Gotham Suburb.

POLICE SURE IT IS HE.

Jean Crones is alive. He was in New York on Tuesday, according to an apparently authentic letter signed with his name and received yesterday in the office of the New York Sun.

Moreover, Crones was seen last night in Boston, according to advices from that city, by a man who used to work with him in Chicago.

Judging from his letter to the New York newspaper, Crones gloats in the notoriety he has received as a result of his plot to poison the 200 guests at the dinner to Archbishop Mundelein. He will continue the study of chemistry and when he gets enough money and the opportunity he says he will try again to kill off "200 persons." He boasts he will get all this time.

BLEACHES HIS HAIR.

Crones disguised himself for his escape by bleaching his hair white with chloride of lime and sulphuric acid, and has since tinted it red, he says. By this time he may have changed it to another shade.

The letter sent to the New York paper contains so many heretofore unpublished facts in connection with the poisoning that Capt. Morgan Collins did not hesitate to pronounce it genuine. Capt. Collins wired the police of New York immediately to spread all over the east a description of the man with bushy hair and a windsor tie, who walks with violent gestures of his arms, legs, and body.

The New York letter contains misspelled words that tally with the misspelled words in a letter in the hands of the police. They identified the handwriting by comparison with known letters from Crones.

HERE IS LETTER.

The letter, with its imperfect grammar, misspellings, and incomplete sentences, follows:

Everything I have read in the papers regarding my case is either foolich or untrue. I declare that my story is true. In America I am since the 0th May, 1913, and worked for three months in Castels old French restaurant, Grant City, Staten Island, as Chef. After that I worked for Jahr in New York and after that in Chicago, Cleveland, in the Country club and Bak to Chicago at the Un'versity club I was chef of the old West room and dit not have anything to do with the soup.

I all ways was in the Radical Movement as a worker and as a true Comrade to my fellow workers. Meanwhile I have studied Science (Astonomy and chemistry). As I did not have enouch mony to go to the unoversity I have taken up Chemistry at the International Correspondens schools in Scranton, Pa. I proced with my study and made good progress. Thanks to apparatus and Chemicals $60 Cash Mony were were I have worked for.

STARTED TO WORK.

As I love Science I hate religion and as I have seen the manue for that Diner 12 days before I tought that it was a sanitary thing to make a good clean up. And I started right away to work. I worked till late in the night every day, and I prepared the poisons but the most hat a bitter teste. Later I agreed for Arsenic and Barium Chloride.

I bought some more Arsenic and son I had 60 grams Arsenous Oxide and 100 Gr. A2O3 [arsenic] and 60 gr. Barium Chloride. Than I made 480 gr. (Mg. H2N02) (CP) and wery dry. this I took along when I made my Escape. No one in the world has known those things before.

After I hat a placed the poison in little quantities in different dishes which were redy for the diner.

After that I went home. I took a solution of Lime of Chloride water and sulphuric acid and made my hair white as schnow. Two times I was overkommen by the

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LATEST NEWS OF EUROPEAN WAR

LONDON, Feb. 17, 2:50 a. m.—A Berlin dispatch, according to the Copenhagen correspondent of the Morning Post, says that the Duke of Mecklenberg has left for Bucharest as the German emperor's envoy to offer Roumania a loan of $60,000,000.

Bridgeport, Conn., Feb. 16.—The plant of the Farist Steel company was almost completely destroyed by fire late tonight with a loss estimated at upwards of $450,000. The origin of the blaze is unknown. The company, which employed 5,000 persons, was busy furnishing steel for the Remington Arms and Ammunition company.

LONDON, Feb. 17, 3:20 a. m.—The reference of H. J. Tennant, parliamentary under-secretary for war, to Winston Spencer Churchill, as "Col. Churchill" in the house of commons last night is the first public intimation of his promotion, which has not yet been gazetted.

Somebody Waits in Vain for Boy; He Lies in Morgue

Some one—a mother, perhaps—waited in vain last night in some home in Chicago for the return of a little boy whose bruised body lay in the morgue of the Wesley Memorial hospital, 2449 South Dearborn street.

The child met death under the wheels of an ice wagon, driven by George Sheridan, 6825 South Robey street, in an alley in the rear of the Standard club, East Twenty-fifth street and Michigan boulevard. He was unconscious when picked up and died a few minutes after being taken to the hospital by the Cottage Grove avenue police wagon.

The Child's Estate.

This mother's boy left an estate. It is listed here that perhaps it may at least bring the solace of certainty to the mother and lead her to her son.

A dime savings bank.
Three dimes.
A red agate marble with a white moon in it.
A handkerchief.
A pair of blue yarn gloves with gray tips.
A pair of automobile goggles.
A brown coat with a dark stripe in it.
Blue striped knickerbockers.
A waistcoat with a wreath design on the breast.
Brown corduroy overcoat.
Blue cap with earflaps.

He was about 12 years old. His hair was dark, his eyes gray.

None Calls for Child.

Aside from these things, there was nothing that might suggest a clew to his identity. The accident occurred late in the afternoon. No one had called at the hospital up to midnight to seek to identify the body. No one so far as is known called at any police station to inquire about a lost boy answering this description.

Sheridan said he did not see the little fellow until he heard his screams beneath the horse's hoofs. The teamster, who drives for Oscar Johnson, 3945 South Fifth avenue, was arrested.

BISHOP HARTZELL WINS RACE TO SON'S SICK BED.

Methodist Church Dignitary Reaches Los Angeles from Chicago—Doctors Doubt Recovery.

Los Angeles, Cal., Feb. 16.—[Special.]—Winning a race against death the Rt. Rev. Mr. Hartzell, Methodist Episcopal bishop of Africa, reached the bedside of his son, the Rev. Morton C. Hartzell, in a Pasadena hospital today.

The bishop arrived on a fast train from Chicago shortly after noon. The son was conscious and able to recognize his father. Physicians battled for the life of the young minister throughout the night. At the hospital it was stated that there was little hope for the Rev. Mr. Hartzell's recovery.

POLICE CHEER SCHUETTLER.

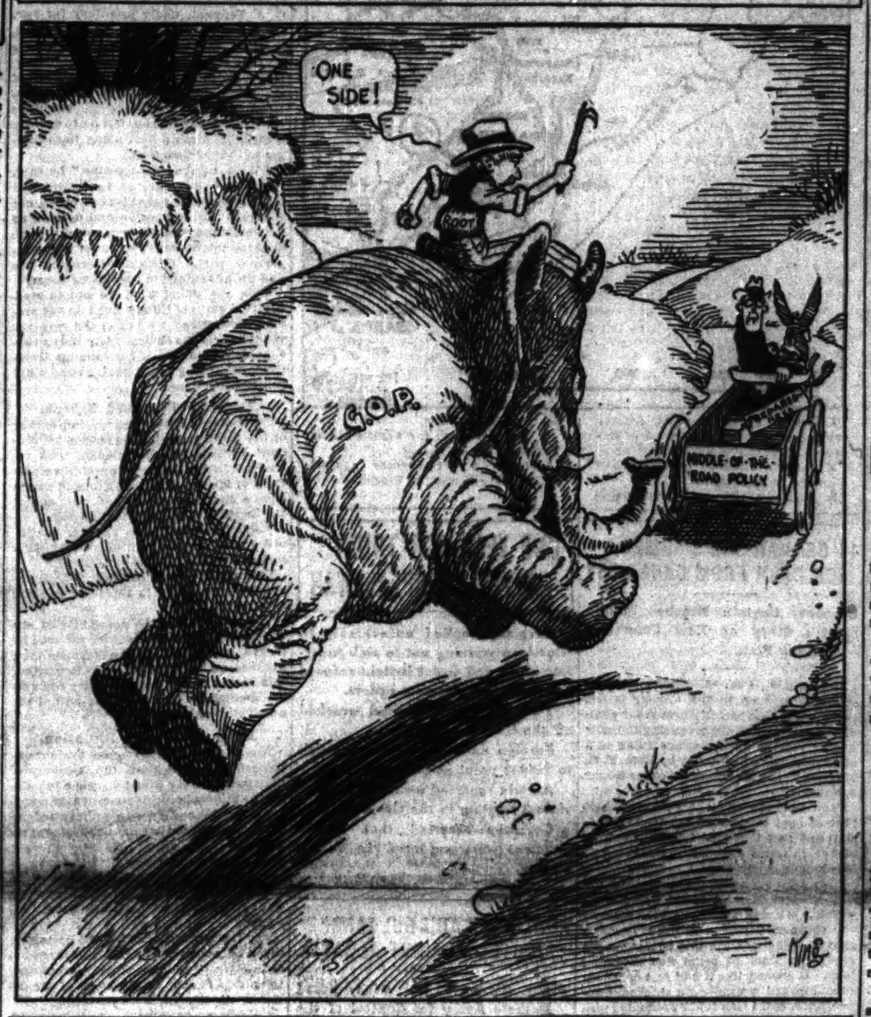
Mention of Name for Chief Brings Outburst at Sergeants' Banquet.

First Deputy Chief of Police Schuettler was cheered when he was suggested for chief and the rank and file of the police department of Chicago were praised by speakers at the seventh annual banquet of the Chicago Police Sergeants' association in the Hotel Sherman last night.

Chief Healey praised the traffic squad of the department and said a good word for all his "army of 5,000 men."

"I will stick to my job," he said, "and politics shall not interfere with the standing of any man in the department."

CHARGE!



THE WEATHER.

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 17, 1916.

Chicago and vicinity—Fair Thursday and Friday, moderate temperature, moderate westerly winds.

Illinois—Fair weather with moderate temperature Thursday and Friday.

Sunrise, 6:43; sunset, 5:25. Moon rises 5:37 p. m. Friday.

TRIBUNE BAROMETER.

TEMPERATURE IN CHICAGO.
[Last 24 hours.]

Maximum, 3 p. m.....48
Minimum, 6 a. m.....27

3 a. m.	36	11 a. m.	39	7 p. m.	42
4 a. m.	37	Noon	40	8 p. m.	41
5 a. m.	37	1 p. m.	43	9 p. m.	40
6 a. m.	34	2 p. m.	46	10 p. m.	39
7 a. m.	39	3 p. m.	48	11 p. m.	38
8 a. m.	38	4 p. m.	47	Midnight	38
9 a. m.	41	5 p. m.	46	1 a. m.	38
10 a. m.	36	6 p. m.	44	2 a. m.	37

Mean temperature, 37; normal for the day, 35.

Excess since Jan. 1, 31 degrees.

Precipitation for 24 hours to 7 p. m., 0. Excess since Jan. 1, 2.04 inches.

Wind, S.; maximum velocity, 24 miles an hour at 2:00 p. m.

Relative humidity, 7 a. m., 87; 2 p. m., 64; 7 p. m., 74.

Barometric pressure, 7 a. m., 30.12; 7 p. m., 29.91.

For complete government report see page 12.

SHIPPERS ADVICES.

Special Forecast for Shipments Within Radius of 500 Miles.

Protect shipments to reach destinations by Friday night from temperatures as follows: North and west, 32 degrees above; south and east, above 32 degrees.

3,000 NEGROES MAROONED IN MILLS AND COTTON GINS.

Levee Break in Mississippi River Imprisons Thousands — Whites Already Rescued.

New Orleans, La., Feb. 16.—About 3,000 Negroes are marooned in mills, cotton gins, and other large buildings within a radius of twenty miles of Newellton, La. They are waiting for small boats to take them to safety outside the area flooded by the crevasse in the Mississippi at Buck Ridge, according to a long distance telephone message late tonight from Julius Solomon, town marshal of Newellton. Several hundred other Negroes have been taken from plantations to temporary places of safety.

Mr. Solomon reported that virtually all of the white women and children and most of the white men from Newellton and the surrounding territory had been removed from the flooded section and that the only loss of life thus far reported was three Negroes drowned near that town. Several Italian laborers previously reported missing had been accounted for.

A steamer from Vicksburg or Natchez late today rescued several hundred persons who had taken refuge on the levee on the opposite side of Lake St. Joseph, according to Mr. Solomon.

CUTS SHORT CAREER OF "WORLD'S GREATEST DIP."

Court Blasts Hope of Relatives of 3 Year Old Who Hoped to Make Him King of Pickpockets.

A fabulous career was blasted in the Desplaines street court for 3 year old Jack Cochoran yesterday and the precocious germ of his genius will be left to die of neglect.

"My sons, they were set on makin' him the greatest pickpocket in the world," said Jack's grayhaired grandmother, Mrs. Alice Meeker of 2008 West Adams street. "They would take his doll away and give Jack lessons in pickin' pockets. 'He ought to be the best dip in the world by the time he's 11,' they would say. My sons, they have been pickpockets since they were 11 or 12 years old."

Mrs. Meeker's sons, known as John Cross and Robert Ford, and their brother-in-law, John Cochoran, father of the posthumous cut-purse, were arrested yesterday with Mrs. Josephine Cross and fined on charges of disorderly conduct. The police declare that the men are the chief figures of an exceptionally clever gang of pickpockets.

Twenty empty pocketbooks were found in the flat at 1839 Washington boulevard, occupied by the alleged gang. The court ordered the police to investigate the conditions of little Jack's home life.

WRECKED ZEPPELIN BLOWN INTO HOLLAND; INTERNED.

German Airship Adrift and Damaged in Storm—Believed to Have Come from Belgium.

LONDON, Feb. 17.—The Rotterdam correspondent of the Daily Mail telegraphs:

"A Zeppelin, blown adrift in a storm today (Wednesday) apparently from Belgium, has landed a wreck at Hierick, near Venloo, in the Dutch province of Limburg, close to the German border. The Dutch military authorities seized the airship and interned it.

"It is reported that the Zeppelin shed near Brussels was damaged extensively in the storm."

NOT WORK FOR THE HOMELY.

Women Missionaries Must Be of Good Appearance, Says Latin-American Speaker.

PANAMA, Feb. 16.—American missionary societies thinking of sending women workers to Latin America should take care not to send "trumps, dowdies, or otherwise unpresentable persons," according to Señorita Elisa Cortes, an attractive Young Women's Christian association representative from Buenos Aires, who spoke today at the congress on religious work in Latin America. Señorita Cortes declared a good appearance was as essential as a good education and special training for the work.

SITUATION ON WAR FRONTS

CAUCASUS FRONT.

Russian troops under Grand Duke Nicholas capture city of Erzerum, which is key to invasion of Armenia. Victory, after days of heavy fighting, may result in aid to British troops in Mesopotamia.

FRENCH FRONT.

Berlin reported the repulse of three British attacks near Ypres and the defeat of one French effort to recapture the ground recently taken by the Germans near Tahure, in the Champagne district.

HOLLAND FEARS NEW FLOOD; GIANT WAVES BATTER DIKES.

Storm Causes Anxiety in North Province—Hundreds Work Day and Night to Strengthen Barriers

AMSTERDAM, Feb. 16.—The storm which now is raging over Holland is causing great anxiety of further floods and disasters. Day and night hundreds of laborers are working feverishly to prevent fresh ruptures of the dikes. The force of the storm is such that all kinds of strengthening material is speedily washed away by the giant waves breaking across the dikes.

Should the storm continue it is feared that two-thirds of the town of Monnikendam, in the province of North Holland, a few miles from Amsterdam, will be flooded. In several other towns the waters have washed through the sluices and have reached many houses, the occupants of which have been obliged to evacuate them.

SWARTHMORE'S 'VENUS GIRL' DELUGED WITH PROPOSALS.

Marriage, the Stage, and Even the Movies Are All Changes Now of Miss Margaret Willetts.

Philadelphia, Pa., Feb. 16.—[Special.]—Vaudeville managers, motion picture promoters, autograph seekers, and would-be husbands have deluged Miss Margaret Willetts, the Swarthmore junior, whose physical measurements are nearly identical with those of the Venus de Milo, with a multitude of telegrams, letters, and messages.

They contain offers to appear before the footlights, to pose for the camera in the movies, and even to appear before a minister.

Miss Willetts is a member of the Kappa Kappa Sigma sorority and is an all around athlete, plays basketball, hockey, tennis, and swims with unusual ability. The best part of it is that she has beauty with her brains and is exceedingly popular at Swarthmore.

PURSUE TURKS AFTER DEFEAT AT ERZERUM

Russians Seek to Capture Garrison Which Lost Stronghold.

EFFECT ON TWO FIELDS

PETROGRAD, Feb. 16.—Erzerum, the great Turkish stronghold and key to Armenia, has fallen before the Russian Caucasus army under the command of Grand Duke Nicholas.

Confirmation of the capture of the city is given in the following message telegraphed by Grand Duke Nicholas to the emperor and made public tonight:

> God has granted the brave troops of the army of the Caucasus such great help that Erzerum has been taken after five days of unprecedented assault. I am inexpressibly happy to announce this victory to your imperial majesty.

DEFENDERS FLEE WESTWARD.

[illegible] may that the Turkish defenders, numbering perhaps as high as 160,000 men, are in flight toward the west through the difficult mountain regions.

This dispatch adds that a large Russian army is pursuing the fleeing Turks.

Another dispatch said that the German field marshal, Baron von der Goltz, was in command in Erzerum with 80,000 men; that their escape had been cut off, and that they had provisions for only a fortnight. A relief expedition was sent by the Turks, but it was reported these forces had been defeated by the Russians with heavy losses.

Besides this garrison the Turks had a large force operating outside Erzerum, which were driven into the city by the Russian advance, greatly augmenting the forces there.

CAPTURE OF GREAT VALUE.

The capture of Erzerum is regarded as one of the greatest feats of the Russian arms during the war.

Controlling the roads through Armenia, with access to Trebisond, Tabriz, and Mesopotamia, the capture of Erzerum is calculated to have immense strategic importance in the Russian campaign in the Caucasus.

It will give greater freedom to the Russians operating to the south on the battle line stretching into Persia, and may provide a chance for the relief of the British forces which are being sorely pressed at Kut-al-Amara.

The victory also will indirectly affect the Balkan campaign by relieving the pressure on the allies at Saloniki.

WON BY BARLIER VICTORIES.

The victory, which had been confidently awaited since the news of the taking by the Russian forces of nine of the eighteen forts guarding the gateway to Asia Minor is the cause of great elation in Petrograd.

The capture of these forts was announced in official dispatches received yesterday.

The reports said the strongholds were stormed and taken at the point of the bayonet in a fierce struggle in the mountains in zero weather.

REPORTS ON BARLIER ACTION.

Details of the earlier victories of the Russians were contained in the following statement, issued tonight, but which apparently antedates the announcement of Grand Duke Nicholas that Erzerum had been captured:

> As announced yesterday our valiant troops captured nine forts of the Beve Boyun position, which covers the fortress of Erzerum, and took about seventy guns, in addition to the munitions and prisoners. The general staff regrets that it is compelled to abstain from mentioning the names of the glorious regiments which dislodged the Turks at the point of the bayonet. This success is now being developed, notwithstanding the enormous cold and local obstacles. The Turks are hurrying up troops from the west and south for the relief of Erzerum. The southern part of Erzerum is in flames.
>
> In the Khopy (Kep) region our offensive continues successfully.

The conviction entertained by all Russian military observers that Erzerum

Testimony from Advertisers

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would ultimately be forced to capitulate after the first victory was based on the fact that the remaining nine forts were of considerably less importance than those already in Russian hands and could be readily flanked, or even ignored, in forcing the evacuation of the Turkish stronghold.

The taking of the first fort is believed to have destroyed the plan of defense, since the impregnability of Erzerum rested on the assumption of the German engineers, who constructed the fortifications, that the position was safe against assault from the south.

In spite of the intense cold and deep snow, the Russian troops took Kop mountain by storm and dealt the Turks the first staggering blow. Having driven them from this position, the Russian artillery broke through and flanked the other position, which went like a house of cards, the result of the Russian onslaught exceeding all expectations.

Aid by Black Sea Power.

The Caucasian campaign derived great benefit from the Russian domination of the Black sea, which enabled the army to receive a plentiful supply of provisions and munitions.

Further progress by the Russians near the Black sea is shown in the following official report:

In the Black sea littoral our troops dislodged the Turks from a series of mountainous positions and threw the enemy across the Vitzeus river.

It was before Erzerum that the Russians suffered defeat in the Russo-Turkish war. Since then a strong line of forts has been constructed on the ridge in front of the city, greatly strengthening the position. The failure of the efforts to stop the Russian onslaught along this ridge is pointed to as evidence of the vast recent improvement in the Russian artillery.

First Success by Assault.

The victory has been received here with the same spirit of enthusiasm as marked the fall of Przemysl nearly a year ago. Contrasting with the taking of that fortress, which entailed a long and painful investment, Erzerum is the first instance of a strong fortress being taken by a whirlwind assault.

First Success by Assault.

In the first year of the war the Russians sent an army into the Caucasus and won some success, including an important victory at Sari Kamysh, but the inauguration of the Austro-German offensive in Galicia and Russia put an end, for the time, to further active efforts in this field.

In September of last year Grand Duke Nicholas, who had been Russian commander in chief, was sent to the Caucasus to take charge of the campaign. He received reinforcements, and several weeks ago began active operations.

REJOICING IN LONDON.

LONDON, Feb. 17, 2 a.m.—The capture of Erzerum by the Russians is regarded as a feat of first importance, the fortress being in any campaign by Russia against Turkey a dominating factor in military calculations, as it is the key to Armenia both politically and from a military standpoint. Its retention by Russia is considered as meaning the liberation of the Armenians.

Erzerum is such a vital strategic center that its capture, it is believed here, will relieve the pressure upon the British positions in Mesopotamia and have a profound effect on the hostile elements in Persia and besides put in jeopardy the Turkish forces throughout Armenia.

The fall of Erzerum is calculated to facilitate the capture of Trebizond, one week's march northward, and thus obtain the Turkish gateway from Asia into Europe.

Won Over Great Handicap.

Gen. Judenich, the hero of this victory, made a masterly advance under adverse weather conditions since the Russians a month ago broke through the Turkish line on the Caucasus border, pushing eighty miles through country that previously had been considered impassable in a winter campaign.

According to unofficial advices from Petrograd the Turkish army is in flight westward in the difficult mountainous region. The Armenian population warmly welcomed the Russian troops.

It is stated that the Russians had to overcome the greatest of difficulties in getting their heavy guns into position for the final assault.

Turkish Army in Flight.

The Petrograd correspondent of the Daily Mail telegraphs:

"Erzerum resisted only five days. The Turkish army is in flight westward in the difficult mountain region."

The same correspondent, telegraphing under yesterday's date, says:

"The first stage of the attack was the result of the operations last month, when the Russians drove the Turks within the ring of the outer forts. Then a delay was necessitated by the weather conditions, which can be conceived only by those who saw the Caucasus battles at the end of 1914 or the Carpathian fighting of last spring."

War Fronts in Near East.

1. Grand Duke Nicholas reports capture of great Turk fortress of Erzerum, chief city of Turkish Armenia.
2. Russian advance between Lake Van and Lake Urimiah.
3. Russian advance in Persia reaches south of Hamadan.
4. Where British are hemmed in by Turks at Kut-el-Amara.
5. Turks report success against British near Kurna, on Tigris.

11 GERMAN SHIPS ARMED FOR DASH FROM CANARIES?

Schooner Captain Reaches Mobile with Story of New Commerce Raiding Plot.

Mobile, Ala., Feb. 16.—Eleven German steamers laid up in the Canary island ports have been secretly armed for commerce raiding and are preparing to make a dash for the open sea, according to a statement made here today by Capt. F. E. Magune of the American schooner Edgar J. Murdock.

Capt. Magune says he delivered 2,100 tons of coal to German agents in Teneriffe and saw it loaded into the bunkers of the interned German vessels. The Murdock is in port here.

"No time was lost in unloading my cargo," Capt. Magune added, "on barges which were sent straight to the sides of the German vessels. The first German ship in sight was the Cap Ortegal, a big passenger liner of some five thousand tons. It looked like it had just come out of a shipyard, presenting a shipshape appearance, and I was told by shipping men that all of the German ships in Teneriffe kept full crews aboard and appeared to be ready to sail any moment their masters desired."

ITALY CLAIMS ARTILLERY DAMAGED ENEMY'S LINES.

Attacks by Hostile Aeroplanes Between Natisone and Isonzo Trifling, Report Asserts.

ROME, Feb. 16, via London, Feb. 17, 1.40 a. m.—The following communication was issued today:

In the Tofano zone our artillery effectively shelled detachment of enemy troops and machine gun emplacements. In the Seebach valley our activity created great alarm in the enemy's lines.

In the Rombon zone the enemy yesterday morning attempted a fresh attack on our positions, but was promptly repulsed.

Hostile aeroplanes have dropped some bombs on inhabited places in the plain between the Natisone and Isonzo. There were no victims and the material damage was trifling.

Two Get Cruelty Divorces.

Two women were granted decrees of divorce by Judge McDonald yesterday on the grounds that their husbands beat them. They are Mrs. Romaie Belew of 806 North Dearborn street, and Mrs. Lillian Twyman.

ONE YEAR AGO TODAY IN THE EUROPEAN WAR

Germany replied unfavorably to American warning not to sink American ships and Great Britain refused to modify its shipping orders.

Two Zeppelins reported wrecked off the Danish coast.

Foreign exchange in London fell to lowest point in history.

Austria reported a continuation of violent fighting in the Carpathians.

Germany asserted that 50,000 Russians were captured in recent victory.

AUSTRIANS AND BULGARS UNITED AGAINST ALBANIA.

Final Struggle On with Essad Pasha's Army for Control of the Adriatic Coast Country.

LONDON, Feb. 16.—The final struggle for the mastery of Albania has begun, according to dispatches received in London. The Austrians and Bulgarians have succeeded in forming a junction and their combined armies are now in contact with Essad Pasha's army of Albanians, Montenegrins, and Serbians, which is defending Durazzo.

LONGBOAT, FAMOUS RUNNER, IN CANADIAN BATTALION.

Brantford, Ont., Feb. 16.—Tom Longboat, the famous Indian runner, came to Brantford today and enlisted with the scout section of the One Hundred and Twenty-fifth battalion. He returned to his home at Caledonia and will report for duty in a few days. Longboat said he realized the time had come for married men to enlist as well as single men.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP MOVEMENTS.

Arrived.	Port.
TAMBA	Yokohama
HELLIG OLAV	Kirkwall
INANO	Seattle
ESPAGNE	New York
Sailed.	**Port.**
MEXICO	Yokohama
CHINA	Hongkong
GEORGE W. PENWICK	San Francisco
NAPOLI	Gibraltar
CROWN OF RAVILLE	Seattle

BRITISH ADMIT AIR DEFENSES FAIL BEFORE FOE

Law, Balfour, and Tennant Say That the Nation Began to Prepare Too Late.

LONDON, Feb. 16.—Today's debate in parliament on the air defense of Great Britain was chiefly remarkable for the frank admissions made by the cabinet's spokesmen that the present conditions are far from satisfactory. Andrew Bonar Law, secretary for the colonies; A. J. Balfour, first lord of the admiralty, and H. J. Tennant, under secretary for war, all spoke in this vein. They declared, however, that the government was doing all that was humanly possible.

Mr. Balfour scored the sensation of the day when he declared that one of England's great mistakes in the days prior to the war was her failure to develop a dirigible airship fleet along lines similar to that of Germany.

"With regard to Zeppelins," he said, "looking back on events, I am sorry that we did not develop that type of vessel, not so much for aggression and defense as for maritime and other scouting. Such airships might have played for us an important part. Certainly Germany has had an advantage in possessing them.

"We are doing what we can to remedy this state of things, but I do not pretend that, when we began the race ten years behind the enemy, there is any reasonable probability of catching up. However, something must be done and what can is being done."

Asks for Promised Speech.

The matter of Zeppelins came up earlier in the day in the opening speech by William Joynson-Hicks, Unionist, who recalled Winston Spencer Churchill's statement of March, 1914, that England was to have a fleet of airships and that one of the Zeppelin type had been laid down.

"Mr. Churchill," the speaker continued, "said we had built or were building fifteen airships. Where are they?"

Toward the close of his speech Mr. Joynson-Hicks reverted to this same subject, remarking:

"I have left out the possibility of our defending ourselves from an air raid by means of airships of the Zeppelin type because we have not got any. Regarding this lack a heavy responsibility rests on the gentleman who was first lord of the admiralty some time ago."

Hope to Clarify Situation.

The government supporters tonight expressed the hope that the ministerial statements today would do much to clarify the atmosphere and reassure the country. Mr. Bonar Law's summing up of the cabinet's position on air defense was as follows:

"I make no pretense that the government is satisfied with this branch of the service, but I assure the house that we are trying to effect remedies for all defenses."

Mr. Tennant, in behalf of the war office, after outlining a new scheme for the coordination of the army, navy, and munitions department in the work of air defense, closed with the statement:

"While we have made strides in providing proper equipment and defense for the arsenals and vulnerable points of the country, the safety of every part of the United Kingdom against attack by long range aircraft can never be complete."

FRENCH AIR RAID ON STRUMNITZA

Reuter Dispatch Says Fires Were Started in Bulgarian City.

TELL OF PARIS LOSSES.

LONDON, Feb. 16.—Thirteen French aeroplanes carried out a raid on the town and camps of Strumnitsa, Bulgaria, yesterday, according to a Reuter dispatch from Saloniki today. The machines dropped 158 bombs, causing several fires, it is added.

The dispatch states that the machines, although subjected to a severe bombardment, returned to their base unhurt.

Heavy Losses in Paris.

New York, Feb. 16.—A bomb from one of the Zeppelins that raided Paris on the night of Jan. 29 exploded in the Belleville subway station, killing many persons, according to passengers aboard the Cunard liner Orduna today.

GERMAN ATTACKS REPELLED BY RUSSIANS IN THE NORTH.

Teuton Attempt to Bombard Slav Trenches with Small Mortars Put Down, Petrograd Reports.

PETROGRAD, Feb. 16.—The war office communication issued today says:

In the Riga sector the fire of our heavy howitzers compelled the descent of a German airship northeast of Repa. The enemy's heavy artillery violently bombarded the Ikskul bridgehead for half an hour.

In the Dvinsk sector our fire caused two explosions in an enemy heavy battery. In the Illoukst region we repulsed two German attacks on Garbounovka and in the district north thereof. In the region of the upper Ikva our artillery put down enemy attempts to bombard our trenches with trench mortars.

On Feb. 14 one of our airships attacked the town and station of Lodahice, dropping seven bombs weighing about forty pounds each and in addition smaller bombs on the town. Enemy aeroplanes were encountered by the airship, but avoided fight and fled.

An enemy attempt to attack one of our entrenchments at Uscicsko was repulsed. North of Rojan the enemy exploded a mine, but the crater remained in our hands after a hand grenade action.

MRS. FARWELL AND FORBES ARE FREED AT MONASTIR.

"Tribune" Correspondent and Red Cross Worker Permitted to Go to Sofia and May Come Home.

ATHENS, Feb. 16.—Mrs. Walter Farwell of Chicago, a war correspondent of THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE, and Dr. Forbes, a Boston physician engaged in Red Cross work in Serbia, have been released by Bulgarian authorities at Monastir, after three months' detention.

United States Consul Kehl at Saloniki was notified by Bulgarian authorities today that the two Americans are now en route to Sofia. Whether they will be allowed to continue their journey home is not known.

Some concern has been felt here for the safety of both Americans, since the expulsion from Monastir of neutral consuls, under whose protection they were. In a raid by Bulgarian soldiers on the Red Cross headquarters at Monastir both were roughly treated.

BRITISH FAIL IN THREE ATTACKS CLOSE TO YPRES

Berlin Reports Repulse of Several Efforts of Enemy to Regain Positions.

BERLIN, Feb. 16.—The official report in regard to fighting on the western front, issued by the war office today, follows:

The English made three vain attacks yesterday on the position southeast of Ypres which we had captured. They lost a total of 100 prisoners.

In the Champagne the French repeated their endeavors to regain their positions northwest of Tahure with the same failure as on previous days.

Generally speaking, stormy, rainy weather is hindering fighting activities.

French Official Report.

PARIS, Feb. 16.—The official communication issued by the French war office tonight was as follows:

In Artois, in the neighborhood of the road to Lille, we exploded a camouflet (small mine), which shattered the mine works of the enemy. Our artillery has shelled revictualling convoys to the north of Tracy le Val, east of the Oise, and in the region of Berry au Bac, valley of the Aisne.

To the southeast of St. Mihiel we bombarded enemy organizations in the forest of Apremont.

British Admit Loss.

LONDON, Feb. 16.—The British official statement on the campaign in Flanders issued tonight reads as follows:

An artillery bombardment by both sides and heavy fighting with hand grenades have taken place between the Ypres-Comines canal and the Ypres-Comines railway. The fighting continues.

The capture of 600 yards of our front line trench reported yesterday was preceded by a heavy bombardment and the explosion of five mines, which made our front trench untenable. The attacks, which extended over 4,000 yards of the front, were repulsed everywhere else with considerable loss to the enemy.

The trench captured by the enemy has frequently changed hands during the last year. For this reason it has been called the "international trench."

BRITISHERS HAVE SMOKING ENOUGH FOR TWO YEARS.

But They Wonder What Effect Embargo on Imports Will Have on American Growers.

LONDON, Feb. 16.—With two years supply on hand, both for domestic consumption and manufacture for export to other countries, British tobacco importers are not greatly worried over the order prohibiting importations, but they are all speculating as to what effect it will have upon American growers.

Tobacco, unlike most commodities, improves with holding, and wholesalers and manufacturers can await with equanimity the resumption of regular commerce, but the growers, who expect their money every year for their crops, may suffer by a slump in prices, it is felt.

BROOKLYN FIRE NOT INCENDIARY

$4,000,000 Pier Blaze Due to Defective Wiring, Is Officials' Report.

ONE OF CREW MISSING.

New York, Feb. 16.—No evidence of incendiarism has been found, it was announced tonight, in connection with the fire on the Brooklyn water front early today which caused the destruction of three British steamships, thirty-seven lighters and barges, a new 900 foot pier belonging to the New York Dock company, and $1,000,000 worth of merchandise consigned to the entente allies.

The total loss is estimated at between $3,000,000 and $4,000,000.

Although nearly 500 persons were imperiled by the flames, which raged fiercely for several hours, only one man, a member of the crew of one of the steamers, was unaccounted for tonight. Several persons were injured, however, and there were many sensational rescues.

A rigid investigation conducted by officials of the fire department has convinced them that defective electric wiring was responsible for the flames.

Incendiary Fire in Toronto?

Toronto, Ont., Feb. 16.—One man was killed and two others were injured in a fire which early today wrecked the six story structure which was the home of the American club. Several explosions were heard while the fire was burning, but according to latest information received by the police there were no detonations before the flames of unknown origin were discovered.

The directors of the club after conducting their own investigation announced it as their opinion that the fire was of incendiary origin. They decided to request to be permitted to attend the funeral of P. I. Hairston, who was suffocated, to manifest their belief that he was a war victim.

Fall River Loss $1,500,000.

Fall River, Mass., Feb. 16.—Estimates made by owners of property and proprietors of stores in the section of the business district swept by fire early today indicated that the total loss would be approximately $1,500,000. A score of buildings, including an apartment hotel and several of the largest retail stores in the city, were destroyed and many others were badly damaged. There was no loss of life, and, although there were many narrow escapes, no one was injured.

Police and firemen were unable to put forward any theory as to the probable origin of the fire.

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First Prize, $10; Second Prize, $5; 25 Prizes of $1 each.

CONTEST NO. 2—For the best letters on "How to Advertise Pillsbury's Health Bran," containing practical suggestions for newspaper ads or other methods of sales promotion. We want IDEAS—not finished ads.
First Prize, $10; Second Prize, $5; 25 Prizes of 1 each.

CONTEST NO. 3—For the best letters on "Actual experiences with Pillsbury's Health Bran as a Laxative and Health Builder."
First Prize, $10; Second Prize, $5; 25 Prizes of $1 each.

CONTEST NO. 4—For the best letter from a child on "What Our Grocer Says About Pillsbury's Health Bran."
First Prize, $5; 25 Prizes of $1 each; Special Prize of $5 to grocer named by child winning prize in Contest No. 4.

Remember, that these letters will NOT be judged on a basis of penmanship, grammar, or literary excellence. What we want is more good RECIPES to be published in our new Cook Book on Pillsbury's Bran—GOOD IDEAS for use in advertising Pillsbury's Bran—and actual EXPERIENCES of those who have used Pillsbury's Bran as a health builder. Recipes, ideas, etc., submitted in this contest become the property of the Pillsbury Flour Mills Co. Letters must be written on one side of paper only—should not be unnecessarily long—and must be mailed to

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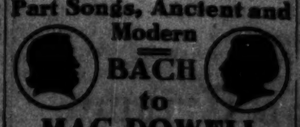

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100 dozen $4.00 and $4.50 qualities, fancy stripes, now $2.95

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$5 Panama Hats now $2.85
$2 and $2.50 two-tone Soft Hats, broken lines, now $1.35
$1.00-$1.50 Golf Caps now 59c

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Norfolk Suits, with extra trousers; $8 and $9 values, now $6.75
Washable Russian and Sailor Suits; $2.00 values, 65c; $4.00 values $1.35
Spring Reefers; values up to $10.00, now $1.95, $2.95 and $3.95
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NEW DISPUTE HALTS ACTION ON LUSITANIA

President Wilson Will Not Accept Pledge While Armed Ships Are in Doubt.

BY ARTHUR SEARS HENNING.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 16.—[Special.]—President Wilson upset the settlement of the Lusitania controversy today within an hour after Count von Bernstorff, the German ambassador, handed to Secretary of State Lansing Berlin's agreement to the statement of terms previously approved by the administration.

The president took the position that the Lusitania dispute cannot be settled satisfactorily to the United States until Germany makes it clear that the recently proclaimed resumption of submarine warfare on defensively armed merchant ships will not jeopardize the safety of Americans on the high seas.

FEAR ACTION IN FUTURE.

Secretary of State Lansing indicated that the form of settlement delivered by the German ambassador today would have been pronounced acceptable to the administration had it not been for the uncertainty of the treatment of defensively armed liners and other merchant vessels of belligerent nationality by German submarines after Feb. 29 next.

He contended that the German intention to sink without warning merchant ships carrying one or more small guns for defensive purposes ostensibly raises a new question which must be dealt with before a settlement of the Lusitania case can be accepted by the United States.

ASKED PLEDGE ON FUTURE.

Mr. Lansing pointed out that from the start the proposition of adjusting the differences between the United States and Germany over the sinking of the Lusitania at a cost of 115 American lives has involved not only satisfaction for an act deemed unwarranted by the American government but assurances of the future conduct of submarine warfare on commerce in such a manner as to safeguard the lives of neutrals.

In the memorandum of settlement submitted by Count von Bernstorff today Germany reiterates the assurances to conform submarine warfare to international law transmitted by the ambassador in two communications last fall.

The administration, according to Mr. Lansing, supposed that those assurances applied to merchantmen armed defensively, as permitted by international law, as well as to ships carrying no guns at all. That supposition has been shaken by the German proclamation of the campaign to be directed against defensively armed merchantmen with the beginning of next month.

SITUATION AGAIN GRAVE.

Coincidentally with the announcement of the president's change of mind on the Lusitania settlement, high administration officials renewed their intimations that the "situation is grave."

Secretary of State Lansing thought that the situation now is about what it was a fortnight ago when the settlement of the controversy was hanging in the balance.

At that time the president's spokesmen were inspiring statements that diplomatic relations with Berlin would be severed unless Germany yielded. They did not go that far in their utterances today, but ominously intimated that a serious situation "might develop" unless Germany should meet the new issue satisfactorily.

DECIDE TO DEFER ACTION.

The president reached his decision to hold up the settlement of the Lusitania case in view of these new circumstances before the submission of the communication from Berlin by the German ambassador. Mr. Lansing sent the text of the memorandum to Mr. Wilson this afternoon, but did not confer with him on the matter.

The secretary of state will discuss the question with the president within a few days, and then will inform the German ambassador what further assurances Mr. Wilson desires Berlin to give.

It is not unlikely that the whole controversy regarding the destruction of the Lusitania will be merged into a dispute over the sinking of defensively armed merchantmen, and that prolonged and complicated negotiations over the interpretation of international law will be the result.

WAS A LANSING IDEA.

For the new difficulty the administration itself is largely responsible. When the Persia, carrying a four inch gun, was sunk, Secretary Lansing admitted that the administration was considering the advisability of classifying merchant ships carrying guns, even for defensive purposes, as auxiliary cruisers.

Then he proposed to the entente powers that they agree to disarm merchantmen, waiving insistence of their rights in this respect under international law in view of German assurances to observe the rule of visit and search in submarine attacks on such ships.

Mr. Lansing argued that international law on the point at issue is ill defined and pronounced reasonable the German contention that a merchantman armed defensively, according to hitherto accepted conceptions of the law is actually armed offensively in view of the vulnerability of submarines.

Germany Seizes Chance.

Germany took advantage of this suggestion by Mr. Lansing to proclaim submarine warfare on merchant ships carrying guns. The entente powers rejected the Lansing proposal of a modus vivendi and threatened a boycott of American trade in case the administration should carry out its threat to change the port regulations so as to classify defensively armed merchantmen as warships.

The administration then veered back from its embracement of the German doctrine and took a middle of the road position, suggesting that, while the rule of international law permitting defensive armament of merchantmen must stand in view of the failure to arrange a modus vivendi, the United States might change its regulations so as to afford port privileges to no merchantmen mounting guns of more than two inch caliber.

Seeks Middle of Course.

Germany and Great Britain have maintained consistent views of the status of defensively armed merchant ships since the beginning of the war. Germany has contended that since the development of the submarine any merchant ship carrying a gun of any sort is essentially a warship. Great Britain has maintained that the development of the submarine cannot change the rule allowing a merchant vessel to carry light armament for defense.

The Wilson administration has oscillated between these two views and at last sought a midway position. In spite of its recent flirtation with the German view the administration, by holding up the settlement of the Lusitania case, now manifests a disposition to force Germany to forego the sinking of defensively armed merchantmen after Feb. 29 and thereby abandon a position the "reasonableness" of which Mr. Lansing himself argued in his note to the entente powers.

Flies by Night Over Chicago

Katherine Stinson

WOMAN SOARS COMET OF FIRE

Miss Katherine Stinson Dives 1,000 Feet Through Night as Crowds Gasp.

For twenty minutes last night Chicagoans watched and marveled at an outlaw comet tracing crazy patterns of fire among the orderly stars. The phenomenon, though a mystery to outraged citizens afar from the loop, who are used to a properly conducted firmament, was clear enough to the crowd in Grant park and along Michigan boulevard.

They knew the comet was an aeroplane and its reckless guiding spirit a woman showing off a sample from the infinity of her variety.

Girl from Texas.

Miss Katherine Stinson of San Antonio, Tex., performed one of the most spectacular night flights ever seen in Chicago. With her machine leaving yellow streamers from the burning magnesium pots she spent twenty minutes above Grant park, sketching a dizzy assortment of loops as serenely as if she never heard of specific gravity and the hard earth which invariably stops the longest fall.

Miss Stinson used a military biplane, driven (so the press agent solemnly avers) by the same motor that Lincoln Beachey used in his death flight. She started from the north end of Grant park and climbed rapidly on an ambitious angle. Her course was clearly marked by the magnesium flares.

Dips 1,000 Feet.

At a height of 2,500 feet Miss Stinson executed a double reverse loop. When her machine righted she sailed for the Blackstone hotel and executed another loop with a tremendous perimeter. She followed this with a straight pitch earthward of nearly 1,000 feet, easily the most thrilling movement in her mad soiree.

A gasp went up from the thousands assembled in Grant park and Michigan boulevard, and hearts sickened as it seemed certain tragedy would close the performance. Then the girl aviator, within a hundred feet of the boulevard, wrenched the biplane parallel to the earth, and, taking a fresh start, climbed again for one more loop, after which she landed.

OLD PORK BARREL BACK IN HOUSE BRINY AS EVER.

Survives Committee Battle, Carrying Same Old Crooked Creeks in Southland.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 16.—[Special.]—The river and harbor pork barrel, carrying appropriations and authorizations of $41,318,410, was rolled into the house today by Chairman Sparkman of the rivers and harbors committee after it had been badly battered in committee.

In the committee the bill was ordered reported to the house by a vote of 8 to 6. For the first time in a decade a fight was made on it in committee. One Democrat, Representative Gallagher of Chicago, refused to vote for it.

The new measure is just as pernicious as the ones which were beaten in the last Congress through the opposition of Representative Frear of Wisconsin in the house and Senators Burton of Ohio, Kenyon of Iowa, and others in the senate.

All of the crooked creeks in the south which heretofore have been snagged and straightened at government expense are given appropriations in the bill.

The items for Illinois follow:

Waukegan harbor	$ 16,000
Chicago harbor	714,300
Calumet harbor	25,000
Chicago river	30,000
Calumet river [Illinois and Indiana]	20,000
Illinois river below Copperas creek	35,000

TWO CHICAGOANS IN LIST OF WAR CHIEF POSSIBILITIES

John Barton Payne and Frederic A. Delano Being Mentioned as Successors of Garrison.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 16.—While President Wilson is understood to have begun narrowing the list of men under consideration for appointment as secretary of war, officials said tonight he had made no final selection.

John Barton Payne of Chicago, a lawyer, and Frederic A. Delano, also of Chicago, vice governor of the federal reserve board, are being discussed as possibilities. Mr. Payne was one of the few guests at a dinner given in honor of the president last week by Postmaster General Burleson.

Former Adjt. Gen. Critchfield of the Ohio national guard is being boomed by Ohioans to succeed Henry Breckinridge as assistant secretary of war.

LORIMER TRIAL TO BEGIN TODAY

Picking of Jurors to Hear Bank Case Likely to Be Lengthy Task.

Selection of the jury which will try William Lorimer on charges growing out of the wrecking of the La Salle Trust and Savings bank will begin this morning before Judge Dever in the Criminal court. It is estimated that between two and three weeks will be passed in choosing the twelve men who will determine whether or not the former United States senator should go to the penitentiary for the part he played in the history of the ill fated bank and its subsidiary banks and enterprises.

Argument on the motion by Albert Fink, counsel for Lorimer, to consolidate all state indictments pending against his client probably will precede the examination of veniremen.

Holly and Bell for State.

The prosecution will be conducted by Assistant State's Attorneys William H. Holly and Hayden N. Bell, who were also in the case against C. B. Munday at Morris, Ill. Assistant State's Attorney Edwin J. Raber, who drew the indictments, probably will not participate in the trial. He is busy in Morris preparing the state's fight against Munday's appeal.

One hundred veniremen have been summoned to appear this morning. Among those in the list is William J. Moxley, oleomargerine king, who in the bank's early days put up $100,000 to help Lorimer hold his stock in the bank.

Niblack First Witness.

William C. Niblack, receiver for the La Salle Street bank, will be the state's first witness in the Lorimer case, as he was in the Munday trial. He has been subpoenaed to appear Feb. 28.

Attorneys for the prosecution assert they have much new evidence not used in the case against Munday which will be introduced in the Lorimer trial.

BRITISH DEBT 11 BILLIONS.

Germany's Bill to End of 1915, $7,500,000,000, and France's to March 31, $7,704,600,000.

LONDON, Feb. 16.—The chancellor of the exchequer, Reginald McKenna, announced today that the British national debt at the end of the financial year, March 31, will be $11,000,000,000.

Germany's gross war expenditure to the end of 1915 was more than $7,500,000,000.

Credits voted by France between the outbreak of the war and the end of December, 1915, were about $6,200,000,000 and for the first quarter of 1916 $1,504,600,000.

ASTOR IN HOUSE OF LORDS.

LONDON, Feb. 16.—Baron Astor of Hever castle (William Waldorf Astor) took his seat for the first time today in the house of lords. The house sat for only twenty minutes. There was no debate.

William Waldorf Astor, formerly of New York, was created baron by King George on New Year's.

NAVY MAN SAYS DANIELS SPURNS EXPERT ADVICE

Admiral Grant Urged Up to Date Submarine Policy, but Met a Rebuff.

[BY A STAFF CORRESPONDENT.]

Washington, D. C., Feb. 16.—[Special.]—Another instance of the secretary of the navy failing to take the expert advice of the officers supposed to stand in an official position to advise him was brought to light in the house naval affairs committee today.

Rear Admiral Albert W. Grant, commander of the submarine flotilla, was forced to admit that he had gone to Mr. Daniels and recommended urging congress to appropriate additional money to "speed up" submarine construction. According to the admiral the secretary informed him that he did not believe congress would give the necessary money and the subject was dropped. This occurred prior to the time the five year building program was considered.

"What authority did he have for the statement that congress would not give the money?" demanded Representative Butler of Pennsylvania, ranking Republican on the committee.

"He did not tell me," Admiral Grant answered.

For New Subsea Policy.

Admiral Grant recommended to the committee, and said that he had recommended to the navy department, an entirely new submarine policy, discontinuing the construction of the present size and type of submarines, and substituting the 800 ton type, somewhat similar to the German U boats. In spite of his recommendation to the department, committee members brought out, Secretary Daniels' recommendations to the committee call for twenty-five submarines of the smaller type.

The majority of the members of the committee are satisfied that it would be worse than silly to continue with the construction of the present small type of submarine, and there is a strong sentiment to utilize the $11,800,000 appropriated last year for sixteen "O" type boats and build fourteen or fifteen of the 800 ton vessels.

What U. S. Needs in a Navy.

Representative Callaway of Texas, one of the anti-preparedness Democrats on the committee, asked Admiral Grant to outline to him what he considered should be done by the navy to keep the country safe from attack. Admiral Grant declared that all dreadnaught construction should cease until two divisions of four battle cruisers each had been added to the fleet, twelve scout cruisers had been built, and 111 800 ton submarines, to bring the submarine strength up to that recommended by him yesterday. The five year building program of the navy, however, calls for only four battle cruisers to be laid down within that time.

"With the submarines, battle and scout cruisers, and the necessary tenders and auxiliaries that I have recommended to the committee," Admiral Grant said, "the United States would enjoy a much greater degree of security than it does now, and any country would hesitate long before becoming embroiled with us."

Wilson Signs Defense Bills.

President Wilson today signed the first of the national defense bills. One increases the entrance class at the naval academy by 300 cadets and the other makes immediately available $500,000 for facilities for building warships at the Mare Island navy yard and $100,000 for like improvements at the New York navy yard.

Bids for two new ocean going submarines opened at the navy department today showed the Electric Boat company as the lowest bidder at $1,491,000 each. The Lake company bid $1,689,000. Congress has appropriated $1,500,000 for each submersible.

Central Powers Loan Turkey Much.

AMSTERDAM, Feb. 16.—A report of the budget committee for the Turkish parliament, as received here from Constantinople, shows that since the beginning of the war the central powers have advanced to Turkey $21,600,000. Turkey is soon to borrow an additional $21,200,000 from Germany.

OLSON SEEKS SIX MORE JUDGES

Municipal Chief Justice Asks Finance Committee to Enlarge Next Ballot.

CITES GROWING DUTIES.

Fifteen, instead of nine, associate judges of the Municipal courts may be elected next fall.

Chief Justice Olson yesterday asked the finance committee of the city council to pave the way for the addition of six new judges by appropriation for their salaries. This would require only $3,000 this year, as the new men would not be elected until November and would not draw salaries except for December.

Armed with Figures.

Judge Olson was armed with figures to show that the civil business of his courts more than exceeds the civil business of the Circuit and Superior courts combined; but the aldermen did not wish to hear them. They appeared inclined to agree with him that more judges are needed, but postponed action on his request. They also want information on the question whether courtrooms could be found for the judges, if they are elected.

The meeting was enlivened for a moment as the result of the attendance of E. B. Miller, a brother of City Prosecutor Miller, and one of the incorporators of the administration's Chicago Municipal Voters' league. He appeared in the committee room, pulled a chair up to the table, and made himself at home, the aldermen watching him with interest. After an hour or so of listening he arose and started for the door.

Cannot Hear Merriam.

"Just a moment," called Ald. Merriam. "Are you appearing here to speak for the sanitary bureau of the health department?"

For eight months Mr. Miller held a job by temporary appointment as chief sanitary inspector, but he surrendered it recently when a civil service man was appointed. The reference to his former position seemed to have caught his ear, but he continued on his way.

"Come back here," called Merriam. "Are you appearing as a representative of the 'Political Counterfeiters' league'?"

The long established Municipal Voters' league has branded the new organization a "gang of political counterfeiters." But this reference also failed to interest Mr. Miller, for he faded through the doorway.

An opinion from the law department holds that the $300,000 for experts in connection with the boulevard link and the widening of Twelfth street may be taken from the proceeds of the bond issues for the two big projects, thereby relieving the committee of the necessity of charging this expenditure to the corporate fund.

YOUNG ARMIES TO MARCH ON WASHINGTON BIRTHDAY.

National Security League Heads Plan to Demonstrate Seeds of Preparedness in Chicago.

Leading Chicagoans in all walks of life are sponsors for the massmeeting which will be held at the Coliseum on the afternoon of Washington's birthday, Feb. 22, under the auspices of the National Security league.

Among those who are taking an active part in the arrangements for the meeting are former Secretary of War Jacob M. Dickinson, Col. George T. Buckingham, Harry H. Merrick, Leonard A. Busby, Clifford Arrick, Lafayette Markle, Emil C. Wetten, President Harry Pratt Judson of the University of Chicago, Nelson N. Lampert, Judge Jesse A. Baldwin, and others.

The meeting has been arranged by the Chicago branch of the National Security league to inaugurate a campaign of education in behalf of the movement for preparedness against war. Before the meeting there will be a parade in the downtown streets, in which the Illinois National guard, the naval reserves, the cadets from the United States naval training station, and other military and civic organizations will participate.

A feature of the meeting will be the singing of patriotic songs by the audience, under the leadership of Angus Hibbard of the Chicago Telephone company.

NEW REVOLUTION NEAR IN MEXICO, U. S. IS INFORMED

Dispatches Say Carranza Rule Is Crumbling; Much Concern in Washington.

[BY A STAFF CORRESPONDENT.]

Washington, D. C., Feb. 16.—[Special.]—Information to the effect that the Carranza government in Mexico is nearing a complete downfall was received by government officials today in confidential dispatches from the Mexican border and interior parts of Mexico. Although officials refused to make any comment, the information is believed to have aroused considerable concern in administration circles.

Not the least disturbing was the statement made in several of the communications that Carranza's followers, unable to get any pay, and facing starvation, are in a mood for a new revolution the moment a man strong enough to lead them appears on the scene.

Says Carranza Regime Crumbles.

One of the letters contains the following paragraph:

"The Carranza government is crumbling fast. It is already gone, in fact. It is almost incredible of belief how much ground Carranza has lost in the last sixty days. The whole Carranza structure of government is disintegrated."

In view of the information received it is thought probable that the American authorities along the border will be instructed to maintain extra vigilance to prevent the organization of any anti-Carranza movements on the American side, and also to prevent the shipment of any arms to persons not known to be in sympathy with the Carranza government.

Officials of the state department who examined the correspondence expressed the opinion that before long Mexico would be again inflamed. One communication stated that "Mexico is seething with threatened uprising that needs only the influence of strong leadership to touch it off. A new revolution would probably send the Carranza government into oblivion."

Zapata Stronghold Captured.

Galveston, Tex., Feb. 16.—Ajusco, a fortified Zapata stronghold between Mexico City and Cuernavaca, was captured by Constitutionalist forces after a battle of several hours, according to information reaching the Mexican consulate here today, which adds that the Zapata forces suffered heavy losses.

Ajusco is considered a point of great strategical value. It also is reported that the Zapatistas are evacuating the city of Cuernavaca and are going farther south in the state of Morelos.

MARYE RESIGNATION CAUSE OF REGRETS IN PETROGRAD.

Action of American Envoy Inopportune Because of Transfer of Chief Aid to Spain.

PETROGRAD, Feb. 16.—The resignation of George T. Marye, the American ambassador to Russia, which has been sent to Washington, and which expressed a desire that he be relieved of his duties at as early a date as possible, is regarded as coming at an especially inopportune moment in view of the fact that Charles S. Wilson, the first secretary of the embassy, had been transferred and is leaving at once for Madrid. Mr. Marye gave ill health as the reason for desiring to leave Petrograd.

In expressing regret at the approaching departure of Mr. Marye, Foreign Minister Sazonoff voiced the opinion that the work done by the ambassador toward bringing about more cordial relations between Russia and the United States would bear fruit immediately after the war, when the commercial relations of the two countries would command closer attention.

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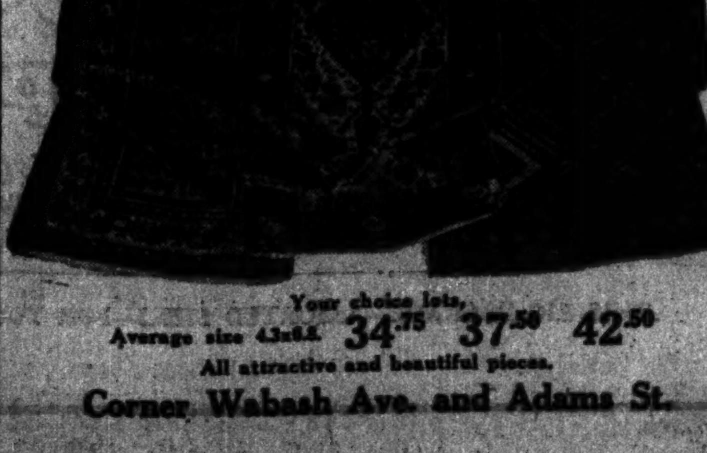

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Whitman Battles Barnes to Draw, but Falls to Rule Body; Bring Fight Here.

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enumerated at the Whitman headquarters in the Hotel Biltmore.

The governor lost his fight to name the entire list of delegates at large.

He was unable to prevent Barnes from displacing Dr. David Jayne Hill with Senator Elon R. Brown as one of the "big four."

He was unable to secure an unqualified indorsement of his administration as a paragraph of the platform and had to be content with a resolution of commendation which was adopted separately from the platform.

NEITHER WON HIS WISH.

Each side therefore swallowed bitter with its sweet, and tried to look pleasant after the dose. The governor was unable to destroy Barnes, and Barnes was prevented from destroying the governor. Each escaped alive, but each was marked with scars of combat. The soreness awaits alleviation at Chicago.

The most interesting clash of the day, if one excepts the abortive attempt to jam through the convention a presidential indorsement for Elihu Root, was the election of delegates at large. The political complexion of the Big Four is obvious. Senator Wadsworth is entirely friendly to Barnes. Elon R. Brown, senate leader, is distinctly a Barnes man. State Chairman Tanner, while playing a close game, and striving for peace, is for Mr. Root for president, and so dead against the governor's ambition.

TRY TO INFLUENCE WHITMAN.

The other delegates-at-large late tonight addressed letters to Gov. Whitman, inviting him to a conference for the purpose of "deciding upon a preference" for the Republican nomination for president.

Gov. Whitman, in Albany, declared late tonight that even though the other delegates-at-large favor Elihu Root, he still wished to see Justice Charles E. Hughes nominated. He said that the attitude of the other delegates would not change his opinion.

Points of Platform.

The principal points of the platform adopted are:

Advocacy of "complete preparations for the common defense, economic, industrial, and financial, as well as military," including a recommendation for a naval general staff and substantial strengthening of the naval and military forces of the United States.

A demand that in international relations the United States insist upon universal observance of the principles and rules of international law.

Denunciation of the Wilson policy toward Mexico as one of "inconsistent and irresponsible interference," and a demand for the protection of American rights in Mexico, either by a responsible Mexican government or through cooperation with other American republics.

Denunciation of the bill to grant independence to the Philippines, which has already passed the senate, as an "abandonment of the duty of this nation and a breach of trust toward the Philippines."

A demand for the "restoration of the Republican policy of a tariff commission," and for "adequate measures for the quick upbuilding of an American merchant marine."

Barnes Nominates Root.

Albany, N. Y., Feb. 16.—(Special.)—In an editorial headed "The Man of the Hour," William Barnes in his Albany newspaper this afternoon nominated Elihu Root for president.

Declaring it will be the Republican national convention's duty "to place before the American electorate the ablest, the most devoted, and the clearest thinker on public questions who can be secured," Barnes adds: "Elihu Root is eminently that man."

SAY ROOT IS IN T. R. WAGON.

[BY A STAFF CORRESPONDENT.]

Washington, D. C., Feb. 16.—[Special.]—"Root has climbed into the Roosevelt band wagon," was the general comment among both Republican and Democratic politicians here today, after reading the former New York senator's address to the New York Republican state convention.

It was recognized that Mr. Root aimed to strike the keynote of Republican opposition to the Wilson administration in the approaching presidential campaign. That it was pronouncedly a Rooseveltian keynote, however, occasioned much comment.

Mr. Root, it was pointed out, could not have presented Col. Roosevelt's views more adequately had he rewritten all the former president's magazine articles since the beginning of the European war.

Identical as to Belgium.

The most Rooseveltian aspect of the Root address was the large amount of space devoted to condemnation of the administration for not protesting against the violation of Belgian neutrality by Germany. Col. Roosevelt has written on that subject and has denounced President Wilson for not interfering with all the wealth of scorching epithet of which he is master.

Although Republicans agree pretty generally with Root's analysis of the shortcomings of the administration policies in regard to Mexico and the defense of American rights from aggression by the European belligerents, they are sharply divided upon Col. Roosevelt's pet theme, the violation of Belgian neutrality.

That Root favors the nomination of Roosevelt is the word brought from the New York convention by several Republicans. It is stated that he has thrown his influence to Roosevelt, despite their differences of 1912, on the ground that the colonel is the strongest candidate the Republicans can pit against President Wilson.

ANTI-ROOSEVELT LEAGUE.

Springfield, Ill., Feb. 16.—The Anti-Roosevelt Republican league, the sworn purpose of which is to oppose the nomination of Theodore Roosevelt as a candidate of the Republican party for president by "lawful means, or, if necessary, by stooping to adopt the methods and practices heretofore used by Theodore Roosevelt and his followers," received incorporation papers here today from Secretary of State Lewis G. Stevenson.

The incorporators are David Davis, former mayor of Litchfield, Ill., and former chairman of the Montgomery county central committee; W. R. Newsome, a member of the Montgomery county central committee, and A. V. Price, a Negro politician.

WANTS M'CALL NEUTRAL.

Boston, Mass., Feb. 15.—Charles Sumner Bird, who has been announced as a Roosevelt pledged candidate for delegate at large to the Republican convention, tonight addressed a long telegram to Gov. McCall urging him to take no part in any movement counter to the objects of the "liberal wing of the party." Mr. Bird, who has been prominent as a Progressive until he turned to the support of McCall as the Republican candidate in the last state campaign, said:

"I understood now that the machine element of the Republican party seeks to induce you to join with them in a movement to send to Chicago a delegation hostile to Col. Roosevelt's candidacy. I urge you not to do so."

Mr. Bird declared that Elihu Root had correctly stated the only issue in the coming national campaign—"the weakness of the Wilson foreign policy, and the Wilson military and naval policy," and that Col. Roosevelt was "the one man sure of beating President Wilson on the issue."

"DEADLY PARALLELS"

How New Letter Is Indicated to Be from Crones by Comparison with Similar Efforts.

A comparison of the letter containing Crones' confession with that written by him to John Allegrini nearly a year ago show in some instances the same odd mistakes in spelling. In the later letter he shows decided improvement in the spelling of certain words, due to more familiarity with English. The following parallel passages illustrate the same misspelling and misuse of words:

Confession.	Letter to Allegrini.
When I have a little mony again I go to the University and FINIS my study.	The trial for the first parade is not FINIS yet.
I must laugh at the letters which the police FUND.	I FUND an new frind in Wm. C. Owen from San Francisco.
Two times I was OVERKOMMEN by the gases evolved.	I think the all will KOME fry.
Also AN knife and a revolver.	Forte is in love with AN German girl.

Misspelled words in which the same letter is omitted, or the same letter wrongly inserted in the same type of word, follow:

enough (enough).	fight (fight), right (right).
hat (had), dit (did).	receivet (received).
smalest (smallest).	colapse (collapse).
noting (nothing), tought (thought).	mont (month).

Crones also uses "y" frequently in both letters for final syllables with the long "e" sound, thus:

mony (money).	wy (we), fry (free).

FIND BRYAN LETTER WHICH O. K.'S 2 TERMS TO WILSON.

President's Backers to Spring It at St. Louis if Nebraska Tries to "Queer" Things.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 16.—[Special.]—Administration supporters have in their possession a letter from William J. Bryan agreeing that the one term plank of the Baltimore platform should not apply to President Wilson. This letter will be produced if Mr. Bryan opposes the renomination of the president on that issue.

The original of the letter is now held by Judge Henry D. Clayton of the United States court for the Southern district of Alabama, who was formerly chairman of the house judiciary committee.

Judge Clayton received it when there was an agitation in congress for a constitutional amendment limiting the tenure of the president to one term.

In the letter Mr. Bryan not only expressed willingness that President Wilson should be exempt from the provisions of the one term plank, but he asserted also that ex-Presidents Roosevelt and Taft should in fairness be exempt.

SCHWAB WILL GET CONTROL OF PENNSYLVANIA STEEL CO.

Philadelphia, Pa., Feb. 16.—Negotiations for the sale of 76 per cent of the stock of the Pennsylvania Steel company to Charles M. Schwab, president of the Bethlehem Steel corporation, have been completed and an official announcement of the transaction will be made within a few days, according to authoritative reports here tonight.

WOMEN SWEAR TO SLAY.

Widow and Sister of Gennaro Scrimmento Take Implied Oath at Inquest.

The shoes of Gennaro Scrimmento's murderer will hold a dead man if the oath of the widow and sister is made good.

"I don't know who shot him," said Scrimmento's sister, Mrs. Rosilla Scaletta of 916 Milton avenue, at the coroner's inquest. "If some fortune teller can name him I know what is in my heart."

"And I," said Mrs. Petrmina Scrimmento, the widow.

CHEF LOCATED; LETTER TELLS POISON SECRET

More Death Warnings in Epistle Mailed from Gotham Suburb.

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gases evolved. Then I left home with nothing but my chlotes, some explosives and some poison, also an knife and a revolver. Those explosives are very dangerous, for the smalest shok causes an explosion which will have terrible results. I deny that there were any explosives in my room after I left.

The six cans which the stupid Chicago police believed gun cotton is noting but asbestos, and in those six cans I received six botles of acid from the school with asbestos around for save shipping.

I must laugh at the letters which the police fund. I dit never have any other letrer but from home. Those letters and all my papers I have burned before I left. No I have changed the color of my hair red and I am working in a good position in a little town near New York. Nobody suspects anything here, and I am save for the next. When I have a little mony again I go to the University and finis my study.

Promises More Woe.

I am not afraid from the stupid police, for I am not afraid for the dead. Wen I go I take a good many along. I am sorry that not all or at least a 100 got killed, for the world would be more happy without them. I have a good portion of energy left and some intellience, and next time I am going to uset them so that my next work in that line will be a full success. JEAN CRONES.

I am proud to be an Anarchist, and if I was not Jean Crones I would like to be Bresci.

All my work I do alone all the time so the police spies do not get the best on me and not get a chance to get promoted. JEAN CRONES.

Proof of Authenticity.

Statements of those who had knowledge of his actions during his last days in Chicago tallied exactly with the declarations in the letter purporting to come from Crones yesterday. H. J. Doherty of the University club, without knowing the assertion in Crones' letter, said the menu was sent to the chef "about twelve days before the banquet."

Miss Dorothy Howard, who saw Crones in his room the last Wednesday evening he was at the Howard house, told of the peculiar smell "like chloride of lime" which had caused her to go to the room to investigate. Neither Miss Howard nor Mr. Doherty knew that the letter had been received when they made their statements. The same was true in the case of Dr. Frederick O. Tonney of the health department laboratories, who is making analyses of the soup and other food served at the banquet.

According to the police list of chemicals and drugs in Crones' room, one bottle contained barium carbonate. It is easy to change the carbonate to the chloride by chemical reactions.

No Barium Chloride Test.

"Did you analyse the soup for barium chloride?" Dr. Tonney was asked.

"No," the doctor replied, "it takes some time to go through the entire list of probable drugs used. So far, there has been no test for barium chloride. It may be that there is barium chloride in the soup or in the other food which we have not reached. I can't say. As for the affect of the drug, I can't say definitely. Much would depend on the elements with which it was mixed. Barium chloride is a poison."

"What is the difference between barium chloride and barium carbonate?" the doctor was asked.

"Both are the salt of the same metal with a different acid radical," was the reply. "In the first case, hydrochloric acid is used. In the second, the acid radical is carbonic acid."

All Could See Menu.

According to Mr. Doherty, the menu for the banquet to Archbishop Mundelein reached the chef's office about twelve days before the day of the dinner. The menu was written out, he said, on Jan. 25 or 26 and then sent to the chef "about twelve days before the banquet."

"Crones had access to the menu, as did everybody else in the kitchen," Mr. Doherty said. "It was necessary that he be instructed as to his duties in preparing the dinner, and then the menu hung in the chef's office anyway where everybody could see it.

"As head cold meat man it was Crones' duty to prepare the nells or garnishings which went into the soup. The nells are made of chicken, sausage, and spices and when completed are soft, doughlike balls like small butter balls. There were two gallon jars full of nells for this soup. Crones prepared these nells.

"With the rest of the stock used in the soup Crones had nothing to do, but he probably had access to the places where the stock was kept. There were chickens, which were placed whole into the pot; carrots, onions, and other vegetables. Crones could have put poison in any of these, I suppose, without knowing for just what purpose they were to be used. We have supposed, however, that he put the poison into the nells."

Girl Tells Story.

Miss Howard described in detail what she knew of Crones' behavior during his last evening in the house.

"I was downstairs that evening," she said at night, "when I noticed a peculiar odor, very strong, like that of chloride of lime. I went upstairs to see what was the matter and traced the odor to Crones' room. I entered the room to see if anything was wrong.

"Crones was in there, sometimes pacing up and down the room and sometimes in front of the fireplace tearing up papers and letters and pictures, which he burned. When I entered he was burning things. I thought perhaps he was cold and I asked him if he wanted a fire. He said he didn't.

"Then he became especially nervous and began pacing up and down the room with his hands sometimes clenched behind his back. I asked him if there was anything I could do, and when he said no, I left."

Asbestos "Guncotton."

According to Dr. John Dill Robertson of the health department the authorities know that the contents of the cans found in Crones' room are not guncotton.

"At first," Dr. Robertson said at night, "we thought the cans contained guncotton and that one bottle contained nitroglycerin. Upon immediate analysis, however, we discoverd our mistake. The bottle did not contain nitroglycerin, and the supposed guncotton turned out to be shredded asbestos."

Dr. Robertson made the foregoing statement last night before he knew the contents of Crones' letter.

Corroboration in New York.

In New York it was found to be true that a man named Jean Crones did work at Castel's hotel, Grand City, Staten Island. Edward Marks, the proprietor, said last evening at Castel's hotel that Crones worked as chef for him in 1913 from May 2 to Aug. 30. In Crones' letter he had written 1912 as the date of his arrival, but afterward had stricken it out—another indication of the care with which the letter was penned.

Leo Libermann, assistant inspector of the bureau of combustibles, and Mr. Whittaker, an instructor in chemistry at Columbia university, both of whom learned of the contents of the letter, said in New York the writer was "an amateurish chemist."

Mr. Liebermann said every formula in the letter, excepting $MgH_2N_2O_2$ was correct. Neither he nor Mr. Whittaker knew to what the writer referred by that and both agreed that the author of the letter had jumbled formulas together confusedly.

Anarchists Accuse Police.

A letter to the public was issued during the day by the International Propaganda Group of Chicago, the anarchistic organization formed on Dec. 6, 1913, and of which Crones is a member. The letter, bearing the red seal of the organization and typewritten on the stationery of the Alarm, an anarchistic publication, was signed by A. Barron, chairman.

WAITER RECOGNIZES CRONER.

Boston, Mass., Feb. 16.—[Special.]—A Cambridge man who worked with Crones in the Chicago club up to six months ago told Chief Inspector Harley of the Cambridge police:

"I spoke to Crones and I heard his voice and I know I made no mistake. I had worked with him in New York two years ago, and we were members of the I. W. W. and the waiters' union. I was taken sick in Chicago and Crones helped me to make up my fare back to Boston. We were very good friends, but I must conceal my name, for I fear I will be killed by his compatriots.

"Crones wore a black velour hat, a turned down white collar, a black overcoat, black suit, and black shoes with rubbers over them. He wore kid gloves having fur at the wristbands. He carried a leather music bag under his overcoat.

"At the South station I saw Crones coming out of the trainshed. He turned in the direction of South Boston, across the bridge. I grabbed his arm and said, 'Hello, Jean.' He stopped for an instant, looked at me with a startled, ugly look, and then shook himself free of me and said, 'Mind your own business,' and hastened on his way."

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COURT ACTION STIRS A DOUBT AS TO SUFFRAGE

Supreme Bench Decision Bars Women from Voting in April 11 Primaries.

BY E. O. PHILLIPS.

Springfield, Ill., Feb. 16.—Illinois women are barred from voting in the April 11 presidential primaries for national convention delegates and alternates and for state and precinct committeemen.

As Attorney General Lucey construes the decision which came down from the Supreme court this morning, the women are cut out of the right to vote for ward committeemen in Chicago.

In view of the unanimous opinion of the court on this point, the thing that surprises the lawyers and politicians is that a decision was not announced holding as unconstitutional the entire suffrage act of 1913. This question is before the court in the "Macomb case," in which the constitutionality of the act is attacked directly. An opinion was confidently expected by interested parties.

Nothing for Legislature.

Today's decision, which is accepted generally as a serious blow at organized woman's politics in Chicago, came down with the support of the full bench of seven justices.

In effect the decision, announced by Chief Justice Farmer, holds that women may vote only for the specific act of 1913 and for none others; that candidates for delegates and for committeemen are "elected" and not "nominated" at the April 11 primary; and it advises women to look for relief to the legislature and not to the Supreme bench in the short and succinct sentence: "The remedy is with the legislature."

Ward Committeemen Left Out.

Ward committeemen in Chicago are not mentioned specifically in the opinion, because they exist only in Chicago, and the mandamus proceedings determined by the decree was brought from Sangamon county, where precinct and not ward committeemen are elected.

Attorney General Lucey holds that the finding is very clear that women may not vote for any party committeemen, and this goes, he says, for senatorial committeemen, who will be elected at the September primary.

Justice Charles C. Craig has come to the bench from the Galesburg-Peoria district, after a bitter and open fight, in which suffrage was more or less of an issue. Justice W. W. Duncan has succeeded the late Justice A. K. Vickers from the Cairo district. Justice Vickers was one of the four justices who agreed to the majority opinion that upheld the constitutionality of the suffrage act.

Opinion of Court.

The opinion of the court was announced by Chief Justice William M. Farmer of Vandalia as follows:

"This is a petition for writ of mandamus, commanding the county clerk of Sangamon county to print upon ballots for women to be voted at the primary election the second Tuesday of April, 1916, the names of all candidates for delegates to the national nominating conventions of the political parties and the names of candidates for state central committeemen, and to provide a space on the ballots for women to write in the name of candidates for precinct committeemen. Respondent has demurred to the petition.

"The petition and demurrer present the question whether women can vote at the primaries in April for delegates to the national conventions to nominate candidates for president and vice president, and also vote for the election of committeemen of the political parties.

Analysis of Law.

"What is commonly known as the woman's suffrage statute authorizes women to vote at elections for candidates for certain offices named in the statute. The primary election law gives women the right to vote at primary elections for the nomination of candidates for such offices as they may vote for at the election for which the primary is held.

"Candidates for delegates to national conventions and party committeemen are not nominated, but are elected at the April primaries. Under the authority of Scown vs. Czarnecki, 264 Ill. 305, the legislature could have authorized women to vote for the election of delegates to national conventions and for party committeemen.

"It did not do so and whether this was intentional or not it is not within the province of the courts to read into the statute something not expressed or necessarily implied. The remedy is with the legislature. The demurrer to the petition is sustained and the petition dismissed."

VICTORY, SAY WOMEN.

Chicago equal suffrage leaders construed the Supreme court's ruling as a real victory, despite the refusal of the high court to permit women to vote for national delegates or committeemen.

The victory they see in the declaration of the court that the legislature had the right, and still possesses the right, to extend the ballot privilege to women. By this ruling, they hold, the constitutionality of the act, from this angle at least, is upheld and places it squarely up to the legislature to determine whether women shall have the right to vote for national delegates and committeemen.

Up to Legislature.

The act has been attacked as unconstitutional on the grounds that it would require a constitutional amendment to extend the ballot right to women. The high court now decides that it does not require a constitutional amendment to extend the ballot privilege to the women in so far as the present suffrage law goes, which is the right to vote for statutory officers. National delegates and committeemen are statutory officers, but the legislature did not include them.

As to whether the act may be unconstitutional because of other objections the high court did not rule, but is expected to hand down a decision in the Macomb case.

Victory.—Mrs. McCulloch.

Mrs. Catharine Waugh McCulloch, pioneer fighter for suffrage in Illinois, said the decision was a victory in that it plainly told the legislature it could permit women to vote for national delegates. She expressed the opinion that women have made "such good use of the ballot" with the limited franchise that the next legislature will include national delegates and committeemen in the list of officers to be voted for.

Mrs. J. W. McGraw, Mrs. Harriet Stoles Thompson, Miss Harriet Vittum, and others joined in interpreting the decision as a "victory."

The court's ruling will necessitate filing of several new petitions for ward committeemen, as some of the petitions already in carry the names of women voters. The candidates have until March 2 to file new petitions.

Election Board Waits.

Dennis J. Egan, chief clerk of the election board, announced after the afternoon session of the board it would take no action on the decision of the Supreme court until a certified copy of the decision has arrived from Springfield.

"Although we will take no official action until the decision comes, there can be no doubt that there is nothing left for us to do but abide by it," he said. "I have telephoned for the document and it should be here tomorrow morning."

SINGER A SUICIDE?

Entertainer Found Dead of Gas in Room of Her Home After Brooding Over Cabaret Troubles.

Miss Sadie Snyder (Sid Sedalia)

CABARET SINGER ENDS HER LIFE BY GAS IN ROOM

Miss Sadie Snyder, Known as "Sid Sedalia," Found by Her Actress Mother.

Miss Sadie Snyder, a 17 year old singer, ended her life yesterday in her home at 2125 North Clark street. Her mother found her.

She was the daughter of Mrs. Sarah Snyder, an actress known on the vaudeville stage as "Sara Sedalia." Miss Snyder assumed the name of "Sid Sedalia" when she began singing at the Delavan café at 620 North Clark street.

According to the mother, the girl was reading a magazine in bed when she went to bid her "goodnight" Tuesday night. Yesterday morning Mrs. Snyder detected the odor of gas in the hall, and knocked at her daughter's door. When she received no answer she summoned Harry Kohler, a boarder, and together they broke down the door.

A towel had been used to plug the crack between the two window sashes. An attempt was made to revive the girl, and physicians were summoned.

Man Tells Story.

Morris Evanson, who had been attentive to the girl, attended the inquest. He said Miss Snyder often expressed the fear that "people might say bad things" about her because she was a cabaret singer.

"She would read the stories in the papers about Chicago cabarets and then become moody," said Evanson. "She liked to sing, but refused several offers from cabarets which did not have good reputations. I tried to tell her that those stories were just hot air, but she said that many people who read them would believe everybody connected with the cabarets were bad.

"She was a good, straight girl. She wouldn't work in the tough cafés. She had several offers. She had a fine voice and the proprietor of the Delavan café told her she could sing there as long as she wanted to."

Brooded Over Crusade.

Brooding over newspaper articles relating to cabaret life in Chicago is believed to have been the reason for the suicide.

On the floor by the bed was a newspaper folded to a story about the conduct of patrons in a Chicago café. On the wall beside the bed was scribbled "Mamma, I love you."

At the inquest testimony was given which showed that the girl often worried about the stories told of cabarets.

ALDERMEN HEAR CABARET TODAY

Judge Uhlir, Morals Men, and City Prosecutor to Meet Committee.

Members of the city council committee on judiciary will listen to a cabaret matinée this afternoon.

Among those invited to attend a meeting of the committee are Judge Uhlir of the Morals court, who started the fight against all night dances; Morals Inspector Hanna and some of his aids, who made adverse reports against many of the places, and City Prosecutor Miller, who checked the public hearing of a case involving a trottery. As added attractions, Ald. John N. Kimball, Mrs. Kimball, and Mrs. Charles E. Merriam will tell the committee of the sights they saw in an all night tour of the cabarets.

Ettelson's "Wet" Ruling.

The committee has before it several matters in reference to the cabaret agitation. Among them is Corporation Counsel Ettelson's opinion that "wet" restaurants need not close their doors at 1 o'clock if the barrooms are securely locked off from the dining rooms. Another document is Prosecutor Miller's report that he was unable to prosecute the Morrison hotel fox trot club because witnesses of violations of the closing ordinance failed to carry away samples that would constitute evidence.

One of the chief subjects to be discussed will be the question of Corporation Counsel Ettelson's ruling that a "reasonable amount" of liquor may be purchased in a restaurant before 1 o'clock and consumed after that hour; and this is expected to pave the way for consideration of an ordinance making the "wet" restaurants disperse their patrons and close their doors at 1 o'clock. The council has ordered such an ordinance drafted, and it will be referred to the judiciary committee when it is presented.

Six Saloons Closed.

Mayor Thompson revoked six saloon licenses, five of which violated the Sunday closing law, and one poolroom. The Sunday violators were Joseph Kurplewski, 2201 North Latrobe avenue; Leo Parizek, 5762 Grand avenue; Frank Patchen 100 West Forty-seventh street; Andre Zalinski, 3232 Drake avenue, and Maria Polereck, 4456 North Crawford avenue.

HOLDS BANKS MUST ADD TO THEIR CAPITAL STOCK.

Supreme Court Decides Institutions Moving from Annexed Territory Shall Comply with Chicago Rules.

Springfield, Ill., Feb. 16.—[Special.]—State banks in what formerly was Morgan Park, now a portion of the city of Chicago, will not be permitted, under the law to remove their locations downtown in Chicago so long as they operate under the capital with which they were originally organized.

The Illinois Supreme court holds this in a decision handed down in two cases, those of the Adams State and the Metropolitan State banks, both Morgan Park institutions.

The Circuit court of Cook county enjoined the banks from removing into Chicago proper following the annexation of Morgan Park to the city of Chicago. They were not organized with the capital required by banks in the city. In sustaining the Circuit court of Cook county the Supreme court also sustained the position taken by Attorney General Lucey's department.

WOULD SHIELD THE INSANE.

Traeger Urges Trolley Switch to Psychopathic Hospital to Displace Bus.

Sheriff Traeger in a letter to President Peter Reimberg of the county board yesterday suggested that a switch track of the Chicago Surface lines be placed at the psychopathic hospital to carry insane patients in street cars to the various asylums to which they are committed. At present these patients are taken in busses to and from the railroad stations, exposed to the curious.

REPORT ON VICE IN MOVIE FORM

History of Senate Inquiry Into Morality Being Picturized.

WARNING TO PARENTS.

The report of the O'Hara vice commission is being picturized.

Within a few weeks' time commercialized vice as it flourished a few years back in Chicago and other large cities will be shown on the screen in all its bold, sordid phases as graphically and fully as eight reels will tell it.

News that the film is in the process of making came to light yesterday when Mayor Thompson, Corporation Counsel Ettelson, Chief of Police Healey, and Health Commissioner Robertson rehearsed before the camera man a conference relative to the suppression of vice. It will be the first time that a state commission's report is transmitted to the public through the medium of the movies.

Suggested Popular Version.

The state senate investigating body in its report recommended that its report be placed before the public in pictures. The report in written form, it was suggested, would only be read by delvers into sociological facts, physicians, preachers, and persons especially interested in the vice problem from a standpoint of statistics. At the last session of the legislature the senate passed a resolution authorizing the taking of a picture of that body in session to be used as a part of the vice film.

Every person who played a part in the lengthy investigation will be shown in the picture as far as possible. Vice conditions as they existed before the old Twenty-second street district was closed will be portrayed as truthfully as possible in contrast to the desolate, bleak aspect of the blocks of closed and boarded resorts as they now are.

Hundreds in the "Cast."

Hundreds of characters have taken part in the picturization. Scenes of the sessions of the commission in Chicago, Washington, and other cities will be shown. Vice President Marshall and Congressman Mann, who attended the session in Washington, already have been photographed. It is not yet known whether President Wilson, who also conferred with the commission, will consent to be a member of the "cast."

The stories told by the girl witnesses before the commission, including the white slave stories, will be reenacted. The scenes will be laid all over the country. The reels will be connected by a running story telling the history of one girl from her first false step to her appearance as a witness before the commission. The experiences through which she passed as well as those of other witnesses will be told.

Rival Melodrama Thrills.

Some of the scenes, it is said, will rival the most lurid melodramas as thrillers, and yet the directors of the production are said to have followed the facts as faithfully as exhibition purposes would permit. Some of the scenes are laid in the same notorious resorts and dives in which the witnesses testified the incidents happened.

During the senate investigation the names of the witnesses were not made public, and they will not be used in the film. What the censors will do to the celluloid strip from real life is a question, but it was the intention of the commission to portray conditions as vividly as possible in order that the whole might serve as an object lesson and warning to parents. No children will be permitted to view it.

HENRY JAMES SERIOUSLY ILL

Condition Such That Even Temporary Improvement Is Not Looked For at the Present Time.

LONDON, Feb. 16.—The illness of Henry James, the author, is so serious that even a temporary improvement in his condition is not expected, but because of the nature of his malady it cannot be said to be immediately critical. The author's nephew, Henry James Jr., has arrived and expects to remain at the bedside until the end of the month.

BOND ISSUE FOR FOREST RESERVE DECIDED INVALID

Supreme Court Holds Cook County Board Failed to Publish Properly.

Springfield, Ill., Feb. 16.—[Special.]—The Illinois Supreme court, in a decision handed down today, holds invalid a bond issue for $1,000,000 issued for the Forest Preserve district of Chicago. The decision is given in the case of Dwight H. Perkins against the Cook county board of commissioners. The ordinance for the bond issue was passed in February in 1913.

A demurrer to the original declaration was sustained by the Cook county Circuit court, and an appeal was taken. It was claimed that the ordinance was not properly published, because the publication was given to the Staats-Zeitung, a German newspaper. The publication was in English. The court holds that this was not proper publication.

Street Car Case Decided.

In the case of the city of Chicago vs. the Chicago City Railway company the judgment of the Municipal court is reversed. The court holds that the railway company is not liable to penalties levied under the operation of certain city ordinances.

The suit originally was one to recover penalties, one under an ordinance providing for transfers for continuous trips on the cars of the railway within city limits, and the other under the requirement that the company should put two or more notices in each car containing substantially so much of the section providing for transfers as relates to transfer tickets.

The cases were tried before the court without a jury and resulted in a fine of $100 for violating the section providing for transfers and $4,550 for failure to post notices. The company's contention that the ordinance was invalid is sustained.

Realty Agency Act Invalid.

The act of June 23, 1915, providing for the incorporation of real estate agencies in Illinois, is illegal and conflicting in its provisions with the state constitution, according to the court's ruling in the case of the People ex rel. Frederick S. Oliver and others, constituting the firm of Oliver & Co., against Secretary of State Lewis G. Stevenson.

The court sustains the secretary of state in his contention. Oliver and those associated with him sought by means of mandamus to compel Stevenson to issue a certificate for the complete organization of the Oliver company, under the provisions of the new act.

Mary Sellers Connery, the Chicago civil service employé whose suit against Auditor Brady attracted much attention because of its romantic sequel, again scored against state officials in the high court. The judgment she obtained in the Cook county Circuit court after she had successfully resisted an effort to remove her from her state civil service position is upheld. The decision says:

"The proper practice is for the state civil service commissioners to certify the claim before the auditor draws his warrant. This being so, it is conceded that the state civil service commissioners were the proper parties, and that suit was rightfully brought in the Circuit court of Cook county."

Mrs. Connery is now out of the service, but voluntarily. She married the attorney who represented her in the litigation over her job.

Lawyer Held in Contempt.

Attorney Edward Seymour of Chicago is held in contempt of the Circuit court of Cook county by the high court's ruling and must pay a fine of $50 and costs. Seymour was cited for contempt for advising Annie Presbyliska to enter a building from which she was ejected by due process of law. The judgment of the Circuit court was affirmed and the cause was taken into the Supreme court for review. Attorney Seymour denied the charge made against him.

The court made an order disbarring John S. Stonecipher, an attorney of Marion county, whose case has been before it since December, 1914. Stonecipher was accused of unethical, unprofessional, and fraudulent conduct in the conversion of money and securities deposited with him by Demalian Justice and with forging the name of M. C. Stonecipher to the release of a mortgage.

The court allowed the motion for leave to file a petition for mandamus returnable on the first day of the next term of court in the case of the people ex rel. the Peoples Gas Light and Coke company against Judge Frederick A. Smith of the Cook County court to set aside the order of the Circuit court taking jurisdiction over the city's gas case from Judge Gibbons.

Cook county Circuit court judges were granted permission to file a petition for a writ of mandamus to compel Robert M. Sweitzer, clerk of Cook county, to pay them $12,000 annually, instead of $10,000. The judges were given the increase by the last legislature. The writ was ordered issued, rejournable the first day of the next term of court.

SENATE APPROVES INQUIRY INTO RAILWAY CONDITIONS.

Newlands Resolution for Report on the Feasibility of Government Ownership Is Passed.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 16.—[Special.]—By a vote of 45 to 13 the senate today passed the Newlands resolution authorizing an inquiry into railway conditions by a joint committee of congress. The purpose of the inquiry is to determine what changes, if any, should be made in the federal laws regulating interstate railways. The inquiry was recommended by President Wilson.

The Newlands resolutions now goes to the house. Its passage by that body is thought to be assured. As passed, authority is granted the subcommittee to report on the feasibility of government ownership and operation of such public utilities as railway, express, telephone, and telegraph companies.

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Charles II. Old Oak Console Table and Mirror	52.00	34.00
Blenam Oak Settee, tapestry cushions, cane paneled ends and back	69.00	52.00
Arts and Crafts Fumed Oak Rocker, goat skin	12.50	9.25
Sheraton Mahogany Bedroom Rocker	23.50	9.00
William and Mary Fumed Oak Dining Table, 54 inch	40.00	29.00
Adam Antique Mahogany Chiffonier	63.00	34.00
Heppelwhite Antique Mahogany Dining Room Suite—four pieces	830.00	480.00
Sheraton Mahogany Side Table	100.00	39.00
Adam Antique Mahogany Dining Table, 60 inch	158.00	79.00
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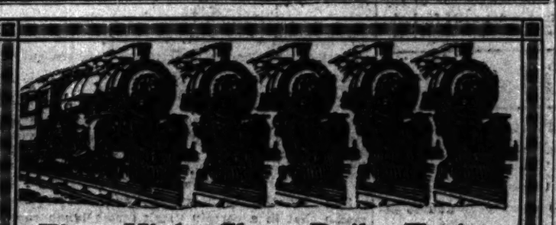

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1909	174,074	1909	300,009
1910	234,111	1910	357,845
1911	236,226	1911	363,465
1912	246,061	1912	366,977
1913	259,958	1913	392,664
1914	318,761	1914	524,800
*1915	354,520	*1915	558,396
Growth in 7 years	183,488	Growth in 7 years	261,580

*Average for six months ending Sept. 30, 1915.

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 17, 1916.

"Our Country! In her intercourse with foreign nations may she always be in the right; but our country, right or wrong."
—Stephen Decatur.

RELIEF FOR POLAND.

The British government has indicated its willingness to make proper arrangements for relief measures in Poland. If Germany and Austria will remove no more food from Poland—and this is an entirely fair condition—Great Britain will agree to terms under which supplies can be imported into the devastated regions.

The German and Austrian governments can hardly fail to accept this offer, and we hope the necessary formalities will be disposed of with the least possible delay.

The British government has acted with commendable humanity, and it is to be hoped that Berlin or Vienna will not be behind in this cause. Experienced Americans will be in charge of the relief work, which is guaranty that it will be accomplished conscientiously and without undue red tape.

The case of the Poles is desperate. No time should be lost in extending them such aid as we can give them. Rich and fortunate America should give lavishly and promptly.

FAVORING MILITARY TRAINING IN THE HIGH SCHOOLS.

The report of a subcommittee, of which Supt. Shoop was head, favoring simple military exercise in high schools should receive prompt and emphatic support. The report indicates that the plan has been grasped in its fundamental aims, and that the vital impalpable values are deemed rightly the real basis for the proposed innovation.

From the standpoint of serious military results, as a technical preparedness measure the project is almost negligible. As wholesome and greatly needed moral and physical discipline, as training in the basic morals of citizenship, as an influence for self-respecting and responsible life in a self-governing community, the plan is of prime importance.

It is noted with regret that the supervisor of physical training opposes the modification. Officials are likely to oppose change even when, as in this case, there will be no serious disturbance of jobs. But what the parents of high school pupils were thinking of when they overwhelmingly voted for military training for their sons was not gymnastics or merely physique, but the higher considerations of character.

It is high time this community and the country generally exhibited a definite determination to introduce into the preparation of youth for life means to cultivate the ancient virtues of honorable discipline, of intelligent and self-respecting obedience, of citizen responsibility and love of country.

Youth that is soft, selfish, and ungoverned is not destined for a happy maturity, and it will destroy the nation.

MURDERERS.

If poison and explosives, secret assassination and destruction are legitimate agencies of political or social protest in any other country, they have no possible justification in the United States.

The fanatics who are being trafled from the kitchen of the University club should be treated without consideration of their alleged motives. They should be run down and punished as criminals.

Undoubtedly when brought to trial these men will be set forth as mistaken but well intentioned dreamers of utopian dreams or sensitive souls driven to desperate measures by their sense of man's inhumanity to man, the evils of poverty, the injustices of organized society.

The state should not be led into any defense of institutions or be otherwise distracted from the fact that these men plotted the destruction of life—murder in plain words, murder deliberate, ruthless, regardless of limit or effect.

We are suffering from an ignorant transplantation of doctrines and methods from the old world. In this republic they should be treated as criminality simply. There is a clear path to all reforms in our system and we do not intend to have it sown with bombs. Politics which takes to murder must be handled like any other variety of murder.

"INSPIRED BY THE HIGHEST MOTIVES."

Americans are willing to justify any failure on the ground that it was inspired by the highest motives. A feeble policy, a plan which upon trial has been productive of the most meager results, a man whose aims in administration have checked success, all find excuse in the impeccancy of the thought behind them.

President Wilson's Mexican policy has not worked. It has been productive of murder and destruction, of loss of prestige for the United States—and national prestige is the thing which gets a nation what it wants without fighting. The results of the policy are obvious. But we have thousands of persons who think that because the motives behind it are sincere and sublime the failure of the policy can be forgotten.

The trouble is that no one scrutinizes the meaning of the "highest motives." With us today it means adherence to a doctrine of one sort or another, whether it will work or not. The word, in our new philosophy, is better than the deed. If the word is good, the deed is tolerated. We do not say of a policy that it is wrong, we say instead that the man who promulgated it was sincere. The assertion has nothing to do with the facts of life except as it hides from us the facts of life.

Probably American diplomacy has been conducted with the highest motives. We seem to derive some consolation from that fact. It remains to be seen, however, whether Americans will find consolation in the consciousness of "high motives" when we begin to pay the price for clinging to institutions and policies which do not work.

ARMED MERCHANT VESSELS.

The United States government, it is reported now, will concede that merchant vessels may be a little armed, opinion being that a two inch gun mounted for defensive purposes need not offer provocation for an attack without warning by a submarine.

In these days when piracy is as out of date as chain shot it would seem that the best defensive armament a peaceable vessel could have would be the unequivocal character of its peaceableness. What can protect a merchantman more effectively than the absolute certainty that it will not commit a belligerent act does not appear.

Merchant vessels are granted certain immunity because they are not belligerent. If it is to be a question of doubt in each case when one is hailed by a commerce destroyer and if the destroyer be so frail a thing as the submarine and if the peaceable ship carry a gun which can sink its attacker there need be no astonishment if the submarine commander acts in the direction of the safety of his own craft.

The interest of the United States undoubtedly is to give as much play to the power of the submarine as is consistent with humanity. It is a marine weapon quickly built and highly effective within its obvious limitations. It is the sort of a weapon that a nation which persists in keeping its defense in an inadequate form may need.

THE CURIOUS HABITS OF POLICE.

One of the greatest mysteries of the police department is its astonishing candor. There is a crime. The criminal escapes. The police start out after him. But before they start they tell the public what they are going to do.

If a boy is abducted and the police attempt a capture by some ruse they often announce the ruse in the morning paper. Kid Blank, alias Mr. X., they make clear, is to be inveigled by a letter to a boarding house at 2000 Portfolio avenue, there to be met by Detectives Murray and Murphy.

The officials are always hot on the trail of some one and they give out the news as it is being made. A noted forger turns a trick and leaves town. We are immediately told that a man of his description left on the Grand Trunk at 9:04 and that detectives are on his track. Then they discover and announce that he is in hiding in Minneapolis and that they intend to raid a rooming house there, or they make up their minds that he may be found in Little Italy. After all the afternoon papers have declaimed it in screaming headlines the police drop around to find him.

The ordinary layman who follows common rules of logic cannot understand the police. Do they give out news because they fail to make arrests or do they fail to make arrests because they give out news? Are they simply incurably abovehead in their actions, entirely open in their purposes? Or is publicity the means of inspiring some tipster to betray the criminal?

The ways of the police are mysterious and confusing. The layman cannot understand them. They have many curious habits and their logic is not our logic. They are strange beings. We can explain them only on the theory that they had rather provide us with detective stories—which they do—than catch malefactors, which they also do—sometimes.

NATURE IS IRONIC.

Alice Freeman Palmer must have turned over in her grave when it was announced that Wellesley college girls approximate in physical proportion the Greek Venus. Wellesley is devoted to ideals of scholarship. Perhaps it does not bring up "new women," but its working basis has been that women should have something more than physical attainments for their combat with life. The training there and in other women's colleges has rather snubbed Aphrodite. The ideal was higher or, at any rate, more sexless.

Venus was not noted for her intelligence. There is little record that she had anything but instinct and beauty. Venuses might be logical products of Rosemary or some such school which aims at preparation for combat in a world of men and women; but they are not logical products of Wellesley, which aims at preparation for combat in a world of individual intelligences. Nature played a mean trick on higher education for women when she shaped the fleshly containers of these emancipated Wellesley souls in the form of an unintelligent, not to say improper, goddess. But nature is not noted for logic.

Editorial of the Day.

DON'T LET US FLATTER OUR TASTE.

[From the Minneapolis Journal.]

A writer in the Boston Transcript, whose self-imposed task it has been to read some thousands of American short stories every year and to select those worthy of special mention, challenges the world upon the superiority of the American short story. He seems to consider the short story as quite a feather in the American literary cap.

The American short story is for Americans. They like it, demand it, and the supply is furnished them. It is the staple of magazines. It is written in America and appreciated here. It is brief; it is sententious; it is either sentimental or sensational, or both. And often it is written as a news story on the front page of newspapers—the difference between fictional and actual basis being immaterial.

Being what the great American public feeds upon, it is well that its form should be excellent, its substance gripping. But as an art form the short story is insufficient, especially the American type of it.

The American short story, for what it is, is all very well. But it is an illusion to think it important. And latterly it is becoming pretty much of a text for motion pictures.

In the first place, it is a product. And art is not a product. A swarm of clever persons manufacture the article. Cleverness is not genius. Also, it is superficial, the dramatis personae often being not characters, but caricatures, the action often relating to manners, not motives. And it is rarely a sincere transcript of American manners at that, but rather a distortion. The motif, moreover, is primitive.

The short story, such as it is, constitutes the present day American art form. We like it, we produce it, it suits our taste and our culture. But it is nothing to be vastly proud of.

Drippingly sentimental we are. Also finically humorous and morbidly sensational. Of beauty or thought we are not considerate. We have what we like, and we like what we have. There is no quarrel. But the critics, at least, should not flatter the populace into the notion that we like art and have art. We don't and we haven't.

A LINE O' TYPE OR TWO.

Motto: How to the Line, let the quips fall where they may.

FEB.
Wint's backbone is softening:
Thirteen days to so-called Spring.

THE allies have formally renewed their pledge that the war will go on until Belgium's political and economic independence is established. This must impress the Teutfeds as sentimental nonsense.

"THE worst of it is," the London Times says, wisely, "when nations are at war, each taken the other's fools to be representative citizens."

Beautiful Words.
Movieised.
Hydroaeroplane.

ABSOLUTE dancing is, to us, a delight; but programme dancing, like programme music and programme painting, leaves us gelid; so the news that the attempt to dance an Arabian Nights story has failed to set the Chicago river afire does not plunge us into melancholy. As for the nimble and lascivious capering of the Faun, that is something we should prefer to imagine rather than see. Pan is a poetic myth, and we never see reeds bending to a river's current without imagining we hear a fluting in the woodland; but Pan on the stage, in 1916, would touch, we think, only the olfactory nerves. Showing that, as the old lady remarked who bussed the bovine, there is no accounting for tastes.

NOT A SENTIMENTAL ONE.

[From the Wisconsin State Journal.]

Wanted—The gentleman who borrowed the keys to the Volunteers Working Girls Home ten days ago, and whose name I have forgotten, to return them forthwith, and this is no valentine, either.

A RANCH out west for baby bandits is suggested by state probation officers as a remedy for baby banditting. Still better would be a large, gray penitentiary with an efficient gallows.

Echo: "What Will?"

Sir: According to the Illinois State Register (Sunday, Feb. 13, page 6, col. 4), the Honorable Jimham Lewis, while Lincoln jimhamming at the state capital, started out as follows: "Sophocles, standing upon that rock which crowns Mars Hill in Rome"——

If this doesn't assure the Honorable of a solid delegation in that hunt for the vice presidency, what will? P. H.

THE Municipal Voters' league was wise in selecting ridicule as a weapon instead of invective. And whoever wrote the league's statement was a first-rate kidder.

A PECULIARLY SAD STATE OF AFFAIRS.

Sir: I think I will have to quit The Tribune and subscribe for my home paper, the Podunk Bugle. When I read your column I can't make out the abbreviations, and in Percy Hammond's I don't know what the words mean. K. M.

"BRANDEIS Denounced as Untrustworthy."

That depends on who is doing the trusting. The New Haven railroad, for example, could not repose much trust in Mr. Brandeis.

A WILD NIGHT.

[From the South Haven Tribune.]

Arthur Boyes sang "Vive L'Amour" and after partaking of the most excellent meal provided the company took a little rocess while the table was being cleared of the debris.

THE bit of vers libre which we credited to the London Nation appeared originally in the January Century, with another lyric entitled "Charmeuse Dresses." The author, Mr. Leonard Hatch, gently reproaches us for overlooking it. May we as gently upbraid him for (presumably) overlooking one of our early contributions to vers libre, in which we disposed of one topic for all time? We feel obliged to reprint it:

SPRING IN THE SHOPS.
(In the manner of Ezra Pound.)

WILL people accept them? (I. e., these bargains.)
O dainty colorings and range of prices!
Gowns of charmeuse in all the colors of the season;
Blouse suits of Russian cloth, tucked belt of softest satin,
And only $37.50.
Beautiful but inexpensive hats (values unprecedented).
Lovely French flowers combined
With handsome ribbon or numidi, roses, lilacs, wistaria, in beautiful colorings.
And petticoats, in crêpe de chine and chiffon.
The petticoat oddly cut and gored,
That holds its fullness just below the knee,
And yet puffs out above,
Giving the new and fashionable outline.
Soft petticoats of sheerest voile, open on side with clasps, in straight effect,
Silk jersey tucked and plaited ruffle, with underlay of same,
Special at $1.95.

SPEAKING of brook trout and speckled beauties, the Cedar Rapids Gazette announces a gathering of "teachers and educators."

SO TO SPEAK.

[From the Musselshell, Mont., Advocate.]

Industrial and financial interests been up so high against the skies of prosperity that the educational interests become mere butted sleeping down to the unbidding bench of popular comprehension.

No Caption Is Needed.

Sir: What caption would you apply to the memo that in a certain Clark street lunch room the eggs are kept in a basket made of chicken wire? KAY.

DESPITE the fact that Harold Rockitt was master of ceremonies at an Evanston wedding, the affair got by without disaster.

THEY'RE ALL MINERVAS THERE.

Sir: Wellesley and Swarthmore may have their Venuses. Radcliffe, I see, has a Minerva. H. G. S.

"A NEW German coup is impending which will surprise the world."
If it works.

In Accents Wild.

Each time I hear him speak the word
I feel a shooting pain.
This version you have doubtless heard—
Make room for "pe-to-maine."
CHAS.

TWO cents saved is two cents earned. Gadders are informed that these wheezes are ancient:

"We have as good toothpicks and salt as any hotel."

"Don't kill your wife. Let the Laundry do it."

AFRICAN APES ARE MORE INTERESTING.

Sir: Why doesn't Professor Garner set up his cage in a loop cabaret? W. M. B.

YEO-HEAVE-HO! William Jack and Florence Tarr have been licensed to wed.

A BUSH LEAGUER.

[From the Nebo, Ill., Banner.]

Bun Fielder, wife and daughter Maria took dinner with Andy Freeman and family Monday.

"HOG Club Is Formed for Mutual Needs."—Chandler Arizonan.
Carried by a chorus of grunts.

And Ours, of Encouraging You.

Sir: My idea of a light occupation is trying to make the Line. C. I. M.

THE Gentleman at the Adjacent Desk is inclined to minimize the winning of Bruerum.

"ONLY an Asia Minor league victory," says he. B. L. T.

How to Keep Well. By Dr. W. A. Evans.

Questions pertinent to hygiene, sanitation, and prevention of disease, if matters of general interest, will be answered in this column. Where space will not permit or the subject is not suitable, letters will be personally answered, subject to proper limitations and where a stamped, addressed envelope is inclosed. Dr. Evans will not make diagnoses or prescribe for individual diseases. Requests for such service cannot be answered.

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THE SMALLPOX SITUATION.

SMALLPOX is a cold weather disease. The amount of smallpox throughout the country may be expected to gradually increase until May 1, after which there will be a gradual subsidence for a month and a rapid fall during June. Therefore the location of the disease at this season of the year is a matter of interest.

The public health report for Jan. 21 contains reports of the existence of the disease in Vermont, New Jersey, South Carolina, Idaho, Minnesota, Illinois, Montana, Ohio, Iowa, Michigan, Indiana, Nebraska, Pennsylvania, Louisiana, Oklahoma, and Oregon.

No part of the country can consider itself wholly out of danger. Were the disease in question yellow fever, cholera, or plague, there is no section of the country where the people would not be alarmed. Our health officers have shown their ability to control the disease so thoroughly that the presence of a case in a community excites no alarm.

While the disease, according to the report, is in every section of the country, the upper Mississippi valley has more than its share. Of eighteen cities reporting smallpox to the public health service by telegram on Jan. 1, twelve were in Illinois, Indiana, Ohio, Iowa, Michigan, and Minnesota. Of the sixty-eight cases reported, forty-two were in Davenport, Ia.; Evansville, Ind., and Springfield, Ill.

For years central Illinois has been a nest of smallpox. Formerly, it seemed to have headquarters in La Salle or in some other Illinois river towns, but La Salle now, with its model health department, keeps quite free of the disease, and the other river towns seem anxious to emulate her.

Why Springfield should have smallpox so much of the time and why it had twelve cases the week of this report I do not know. The people of Springfield should know that smallpox is a badge of shame.

Evansville, Ind., had fifteen cases. Smallpox conditions in Evansville have been bad for years. It has one of the worst reputations for smallpox of any city in this part of the country. I had occasion a few years ago to know that smallpox cases in Evansville were not very well isolated or controlled. As they do not seem able to control the disease, the probability is that their cases are no better controlled now. But that is probably not the principal reason for Evansville's disgrace. They have in Evansville a particularly noisy lot of anti-vaccinationists. They resist the passage of good laws and the administration of the laws they have.

Fifteen of the cases were in Davenport, Ia. "Davenport smallpox continued through the hot weather of last summer." This means, of course, that Davenport was in for trouble when cold weather came. Davenport is poorly vaccinated. Its health officer has been trying strenuously to get his community vaccinated, but the public sentiment to force the situation is not there. It would be just as well for people to trade across the river until Davenport can be made safer.

The smallpox situation is not bad. It will get worse as the winter progresses, but health officers, backed by an intelligent public sentiment, can control it. The situations in Davenport, Ia., Springfield, Ill., and Evansville, Ind., will bear watching.

CLEAN SCHOOLROOMS.

Subscriber writes: "Please tell me of some means of killing cold and grip germs in a schoolroom. We have a receptacle for water on the stove and wish to put something in the water that may be of benefit, but not disagreeable."

REPLY.

Nothing that you can put in the water in that receptacle will be of service. The germs in the air can stand antiseptics as well as the pupils. If you fill the air with antiseptic enough to kill the germs you will kill the pupils, and that is against the law. Keep the receptacle full of water. Keep the air as free as possible from dust. Keep the floor clean. Have the pupils use a mat to clean their shoes before entering the school. Keep down blackboard dust. Keep the room cool. Once every hour air out the rooms. While this is being done give the pupils some wand exercises at their desks. These are methods of conquering cold and grip germs.

OFTEN DUE TO INFECTION.

J. H. W. writes: "You recently stated that about one in five men were troubled with enlarged prostate. Will you not please state what can be done in the earlier stages to lessen the unpleasant effects? What is the later treatment? The information will doubtless be of interest to very many."

REPLY.

In most cases prostatic trouble is the result of old infections. Therefore, first of all, infection, especially with gonococci, is to be avoided. If infection has occurred treatment is not to be stopped until cure is complete. If prostatic trouble is developing some relief can be had by the use of sitz baths. It is well to drink water freely. Local treatment by a physician is necessary. Removal of the prostate is indicated in many cases. It should not be postponed unduly.

GROWS TOO FAST.

Ardent writes: "I am a boy of 16½ years. I weigh 148 pounds and am 5 feet 10½ inches. For the last three months I have grown about six inches. 1. How can I stop my growth? 2. Do you think I am heavy enough for my height? 3. If not, how may I increase my weight, so as not to injure my body? 4. Is deep breathing a good thing for developing the chest?"

REPLY.

1. You cannot. You are destined to a certain growth, and you cannot materially alter it.
2. Yes.
4. It is fairly effective; climbing and bar work is better. Deep breathing exercises are of some service in developing the muscles of the chest. They are of more service in distributing the blood throughout the body. Deep breathing is good for cold feet.

LA MARQUISE DE FONTENOY.

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UNTIL now suicide has always been regarded in the army as a means of escaping from an impossible situation in an honorable manner. If an officer or soldier had rendered himself guilty of an offense entailing disgrace he was held to have saved his honor by means of self-destruction prior to judicial conviction. If his crime was particularly heinous he was looked upon as having atoned for it in a measure by his last act.

On the continent of Europe any officer subjected to insult or indignity by a man of such lofty rank—as, for instance, a sovereign or a prince of the blood—as to preclude his grant of satisfaction in a duel had no alternative, according to military ethics, but suicide. And at all times it has been more honorable in war for a man to kill himself than to surrender. In the Japanese army and navy, indeed, suicide in preference to capture is taught by the authorities to be the most honorable way of averting a stigma upon the name of one's family and upon one's children and one's children's children.

Emperor William, however, and his commanders, notably Field Marshal von Hindenburg, have been led by the large number of suicides in the German army on the part of soldiers and officers who are wearied to death by the war to issue edicts and general orders to the effect that suicide on the part of an officer or a soldier is "a dishonorable and a disgraceful act." The general orders state the determination of the kaiser to "stamp out this suicide evil and to pull it up, as it were, by its very roots."

Those who commit suicide are to have their names inscribed on the black list of the German army—a fate which will also fall to the lot of their wives and children, who thereby lose all their rights and privileges and are excluded from all assistance and relief on the part of the German authorities. Surgeons are strictly ordered to endeavor to save the lives of those who attempt to kill themselves in order that they may be adequately punished for their "dishonorable act."

The old Duchess of Zoagli, who has just passed away at her country seat at Zoagli, near Genoa, was the widow of the former envoy of the republic of Peru to all the capitals of continental Europe save Berlin. Her husband was killed in a railroad accident at Dax in France some ten years ago and was the elder brother of Admiral Canevaro of the Italian navy, who, prior to succeeding to the dukedom, was in turn minister of foreign affairs and of the navy at Rome and also premier of Italy.

The story of the Canevaro family is in the nature of a romance. The grandfather of the admiral and of the envoy was a man of the humblest origin, who went soon after attaining manhood from his native village of Zoagli first to Genoa and then to Peru, where he settled early in the nineteenth century, where he accumulated a huge fortune and where his children and grandchildren were born.

The admiral returned to Italy as a boy, recovered his Italian nationality, entered the Italian navy, and became in course of time its ranking admiral. His two elder brothers remained in Peru and while the second one, known as Gen. Canevaro, was for years vice president of the Peruvian republic, the eldest one, in possession of altogether colossal wealth, undertook to represent Peru without remuneration as minister plenipotentiary at the various courts of Europe, maintaining the legations and the requisite establishments of secretaries, attachés, and staff at his own expense.

He took advantage of his presence in a diplomatic capacity in Italy, the land of his origin, to secure from the government the dukedom of Zoagli and of Castelvari, with remainder to his brothers and their descendants, in order of primogeniture, in view of his own childlessness.

Admiral Canevaro, by the by, long foresaw the present war and was a vigorous advocate of the policy of preparedness. Indeed, I have before me a pamphlet which he issued in 1909, entitled "1914—Arm the Navy," in which he appealed to the Italian people to reorganize and build up their naval defenses without delay, in order to prevent Austria, with her dreadnaughts then in course of construction, from becoming absolute mistress of the Adriatic and of the entrance to that inland sea. He was firmly convinced that war with the dual empire was inevitable, and that he should have predicted in 1909 that the great war would come in 1914 shows he had either the gift of prophecy or else of wonderfully clever deduction.

Among those severely wounded in the ill fated and mismanaged Gallipoli campaign under Gen. Sir Ian Hamilton was Lord Powerscourt, a captain of the Royal Irish guards regiment, and who, invalided home, is very slowly recovering at Powerscourt castle, his place in County Wicklow, where, by the by, his young wife, the former Sibyl Fleydell Bouverie, is lying seriously ill from the effects of the anxiety and of the subsequent fatigue in nursing him back to health.

Lord Powerscourt furnishes a living proof that the strange curse which for hundreds of years hung over the head of the ancient house of Wingfield has come to an end. The malediction was to the effect that no chieftain of the family should live to see his successor come of age, and when in the summer of 1901 the present viscount attained his majority during the lifetime of his father the celebration of the event at Powerscourt was without precedent in the history of the family.

The Wingfields were settled at Wingfield, in Suffolk, long before the Norman conquest, and, according to the chronicles of Camden, they were already then "famous for their knighthood and ancient nobility." The first of the family to bear the title of Viscount Powerscourt was one of the generals and courtiers of Queen Elizabeth, who appointed him her knight marshal and lord high constable of the kingdom of Ireland.

Returning to London after defeating Cahir O'Doherty in Donegal, Queen Elizabeth, then already an old woman, asked him what reward he would desire, whereupon Lord Powerscourt replied that he would like nothing better than the scarf which she was wearing around her neck. This scarf figures in the portrait of this first Lord Powerscourt at Powerscourt castle, and is preserved as one of the most treasured of the family relics.

Powerscourt is one of the most stately homes of the Irish aristocracy, for Irish the family has been since the reign of Queen Elizabeth, and its possessions, as well as its principal honors, are Irish. Approached by a mile long avenue of fine old beeches, most of them over 200 years old, the mansion bears evidence of the various periods at which it has been built, the original structure having been an ancient castle, some of the walls of which, from eight to ten feet thick, are still to be seen in the central part of the building.

"THE MAN THAT BROKE THE BACK OF MONTENEGRO."

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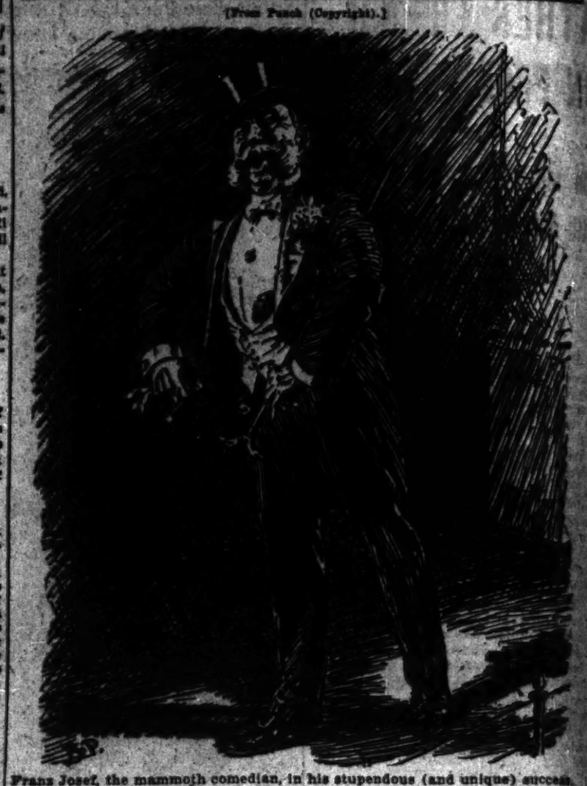

Franz Josef, the mammoth comedian, in his stupendous (and unique) success.

The Friend of the People.

Letters for this department must be signed with names and addresses of the writers.

WILL ELEVATE TRACKS.

Chicago, Feb. 10.—[To the Friend of the People.]—The way to avoid any more deaths at the death traps on Lawrence avenue is to elevate the tracks of the C., M. & St. P. and C. & N. W. railways. If these roads are compelled, by the exercise of the police power, to slow down to eight miles an hour for all crossings in the city limits, and to put watchmen at all crossings, they will experience a change of heart and elevate, as all the residents in Jefferson, Mayfair, and other localities in the Twenty-seventh ward wish them to do. It is merely a question of time, and those steam roads are holding back the development of this section of the city, as the surface cars plead track elevation as a reason for not extending their lines.

WILLIAM A. OLDFIELD,
5600 Catalpa avenue.

I beg to state that the C., M. & St. P. Ry. and the C. & N. W. Ry. Co.'s have accepted an ordinance to elevate the tracks of their respective companies in the vicinity complained of. The ordinance provides that the subway at Lawrence avenue shall be completed on or before the 31st day of December, 1920, and fully and finally complete the elevation of their tracks on or before the 31st day of December, 1922. A. W. MILLER,
Superintendant of Streets.

MOVING LAMP WILL BETTER CONDITIONS.

Chicago, Feb. 12.—[To the Friend of the People.]—I would like to call attention to an oversight, possibly, in the placing of a street light on Frederick court, a short street between Kimbark and Kenwood avenues, north of East Fifty-fifth street, in Hyde Park. By a simple twist or a lengthening of the arm bearing the light it would light up the south end of a much used and dark alley. H. F. E.

Instructions have been issued for the moving of the lamp from the east to the west side of the alley at this location. This will improve the lighting conditions at this alley.

WILLIAM F. KEITH,
Commissioner of Electricity.

CANNOT MOVE POLE AT PRESENT.

Chicago, Feb. 10.—[To the Friend of the People.]—Is there any law in Chicago calling for the removal of wooden telegraph poles which were not placed at the curb? One of these poles is standing in front of my house. It is about midway between the curb and the sidewalk. It upholds a single wire. Plans have been made to cultivate a lawn and plant a small tree or two on this ground. While the pole will not hurt the lawn, yet it will hinder placing more than one tree in this ground. What steps would you advise taking? HUGH D. MCGUCKIN,
2419 North Springfield avenue.

The department cannot move this city electric light pole at the present time, as requested, because of lack of funds. It may be possible, however, if funds are made available for the purpose in the appropriation for 1916, to do the work. WILLIAM J. KEITH,
Commissioner of Electricity.

FOR STATE'S ATTORNEY TO DECIDE.

Chicago, Feb. 11.—[To the Legal Friend of the People.]—A young friend of mine was cornered in a financial difficulty and signed my name to a note. I just learned of it today. Upon investigation I find that he did it under threat and that he can't pay at present. I am not in a position to pay it if I wanted to at this time, but I have found that this young man can if given a little time. While I have admitted I did not sign the note, I don't want to see the young fellow get into trouble, as I believe he is honest at heart. If I refuse to press any charges against him, can the holder of the note press the matter, any more than a suit against him for the amount of the note? W. H. A.

It is very likely that if you refuse to press charges the state's attorney will not act. However, the state's attorney alone has the right to say whether criminal proceedings shall be begun or not, and, if the holder of the note informs the state's attorney of the forgery committed the state's attorney has the right to compel you to go before the grand jury and tell what you know, regardless of whether you wish to prosecute or not.

TRIBUNE LAW DEPARTMENT.

VOICE OF THE PEOPLE.

CHIEF HEALEY, PAGE MR. ADAMS!

Mound City, Ill., Feb. 14.—[Editor of The Tribune.]—Another policeman killed! Every paper we pick up shows the death of some officer somewhere while in the performance of his duty. Seldom, very seldom, is a lawbreaker killed.

Why don't the Chicago policemen shoot? Shoot to kill. Shoot first. In the drug store the officer would have been wholly justified, legally and morally, in killing both those outlaws; and, believe me, sir, had it been the writer going in the drug store after those men I would have had a .45 automatic in my hand when I stepped in the door, and would have used it at the first offensive motion of the robbers.

Kill off about a dozen of these loop robbers and the industry will die out. This method is some quicker and some cheaper than twenty years in the pen if they are caught and punished. ROY N. ADAMS.

BRANDEIS NOT THE FIRST.

Chicago, Feb. 15.—[Editor of The Tribune.]—You say that Louis Brandeis is the only Jew that was ever nominated for the United States Supreme bench. During the administration of President Franklin Pierce, 1853-1857, the president appointed a J. P. Benjamin of the state of Louisiana to the United States Supreme bench, but he refused the nomination; first, because he wanted to remain more active in politics, and, second, he needed more money than the position could bring him.

AN AMERICAN BORN CITIZEN.

WOULD IT MAKE A DIFFERENCE?

Chicago, Feb. 15.—[Editor of The Tribune.]—Mr. B. E. Sunny, president of the Chicago Telephone company, is credited with the statement that "one million dollars added to or deducted from the capital of a large corporation would make small difference to that corporation."

I am interested to know if one million dollars added to the pay roll of telephone operators receiving 12 and 15 cents an hour for their first year's work would make any difference to these operators? Perhaps the difference in their case would be happiness at their homes and a reflection from their willingness to serve into the muddled service which we are receiving in Chicago, the second largest distributing center of the American Bell Telephone company.

It is a notable fact that traveling men who make all the large cities in the United States agree upon one thing—that Chicago receives the worst telephone service of the large cities in the United States. GERARD VAN SCHAICK.

GARMENTS THAT DESTROY SELF-RESPECT.

Chicago, Feb. 16.—[Editor of The Tribune.]—It has been my duty to assist in disposing of some of the clothing that was gathered on Bundle day for distribution among the needy. From the condition of much of the clothing I am led to believe that many of the donors have not a proper conception of the purpose of the day.

Bundle day was instituted, I understand, that those who had enough and to spare might help others in distress, but it was not intended that the result of the day should be the pauperizing of the recipient.

It might be said that anything ought to do for one who had nothing to wear, and this is in a measure true. But would it not be better to give a clean, well mended garment that is not only something to wear but is something that will not destroy self-respect?

Those who are poverty stricken because of prolonged misfortune are usually unable to repair their clothing, while those who are poverty stricken because of improvidence are only encouraged to continue their shiftlessness by the gift of garments in disrepair.

Our bundles, therefore, should be of such a character that they will not only relieve distress but will also awaken or maintain a self-respect that is fundamental in developing character.

OBSERVER.

GRANT AND THE MILITIA.

Evanston, Ill., Feb. 15.—[Editor of The Tribune.]—Capt. H. J. Reilly draws a lurid lesson from the unprepared condition of our troops in the Mexican war and points the lesson that we are even less prepared now. Oddly enough, Gen. Grant discusses exactly the same thing and makes a comparison (Personal Memoirs, Vol. 1, p. 169): "A better army, man for man, probably never faced an enemy than the one commanded by Gen. Taylor in the earliest two engagements of the Mexican war. The volunteers who followed were of better material but without drill or discipline at the start. They were associated with so many disciplined men and professionally educated officers that when they went into engagements it was with a confidence they would not have felt otherwise. They became soldiers themselves almost at once. All these conditions we would enjoy again in case of war." Here is Gen. Grant, who was distinction in the Mexican war, showing the absolute efficiency of the method employed and drawing hope from it for the future. JOHN A. SCOTT,
Northwestern University.

JAIL; ANYWHERE RATHER THAN ON PROBATION!

Girl in Morals Court Pleads with Judge That It Does Not Help Her.

BY FANNY BUTCHER.

The courtroom was silent. A pretty little 19 year old girl, with her boyish hat, her bright old-young eyes, her eagerness to tell the truth, had just said:

"Send me back to the county jail. I know the matrons there and they'll let me work. Don't put me on probation, judge, your honor. I been on probation before, and I tell you I'll be back here in this court in a month unless you send me away somewheres. I got too many friends waiting for me to keep me from being good, and if I should get a job the probation officers drive me out of it."

That Morbid Audience.

The morbid, too eager eyed audience that shuffles into the Morals court early every morning and stays until the last word has been spoken in the last case in the afternoon isn't used to hearing words of that sort. Usually they hear either the sordid stories of women who have been stunned into incoherence by the knowledge that they are old offenders and the fear that they are to be "sent away," or by exquisitely pitiful truth tellings which bring lustful lights into bleary eyes.

The tenseness of the courtroom when a pretty girl tells what she said to the man whom she "solicited" and the other sordid details of her life—those moments are ghastly!

It's a Different Situation.

But here was something that they weren't accustomed to and there was an entirely new sort of silence to attest that fact.

This girl had been, since she was 4 years old, practically state property. At 4 she was put into a half-orphans' home by her mother, who didn't want to care for her.

Since then she had been in the Juvenile court three or four times, in the Morals court before, and she had been in every institution and home the state or city affords. She had served her time, or paid her fine, or been put on probation, and what she had to say about turning over a new leaf had the value of experience back of it.

Missed Getting a Home.

Her husband was in the house of correction and she "fell in love him him," the "him" being a clean young country boy, who also liked her, and they had lived together until the police had found it out.

She had an uncle in Texas who wanted her, she said.

"He wanted to take me when I was a little kid, but my mother wouldn't let him. I'd have been a good girl now if he had. But living in those homes got me to know all the tricks. The time I spent in the bridewell I was thinking all the time what I could do bad when I got out.

"And now everybody I know is a crook, and I'll never amount to anything unless I get away from this town."

Indicts Probation System.

Her denunciations of the probation system were straightforward indictments.

"Suppose I get a job. Along comes a probation officer asking about me. Nobody's going to tell a woman how I'm doing my work unless she gives a good reason for asking.

"Then, of course, she tells, and as soon as anybody knows there's a girl who's been in this court working for him he either gets fresh or he fires her. A woman's worse. She not only fires you but she makes a fuss about it, counts all her silver and her stuff, and blames you for everything that's ever happened, especially for her husband staying out nights or her son coming home drunk. I couldn't keep a job a week if you set the probation officers after me.

"I Been Through a Lot."

"I've been through a lot for a girl of my age, and I know what I'm talking about. I've been trying to be good, but I can't. There's folks right now waitin' in this room and downstairs to take me back to bein' a crook."

"Two men gave me messages for her," admitted the bailiff. The girl had been kept in the prison room which is euphemistically called "the bull pen," and all messages to her had to go through the bailiff.

"I don't mind the county jail," she continued. "I can help the matrons. They know me, and they're kind of fond of me and they're good to me. My cellmate last night was all right. She was scared to death about her trial and didn't talk much about anything else."

In the afternoon the courtroom was again electrified. A Polish woman of perhaps 30, who looked to me like a woman who had made up her mind quite deliberately and cold to become a prostitute, but whose career had been cut off by the long arm of the law before it began, stood before the judge, a lone figure, hollow eyed from five nights in jail, where she had been kept because she wouldn't tell where she lived.

"I go back to jail now," she declared. "I take my punishment. But I do not tell where I live, or where my friends live. I rather die than tell. I won't tell my real name. Do you think I want everybody to know? Do you think I want somebody going around tell my friends I'm arrested and in Morals court?"

There she stood, a brokenhearted creature, demanding that she should not be forced to proclaim herself to the world.

Agree on the One Point.

Together they were, the girl who had been through everything the court has to offer in the way of punishment and probation and the woman who had tried neither, and they both begged not to be turned over to the probation department.

Without some means of investigating the conditions of the offenders it is plain that no constructive aid could be offered. Often the girl has no means of support, or she has a job that brings her only $6 or $8 a week—the shame of it!—or she has a husband who takes her earnings, or she works for some woman who "keeps" her, body and soul, or a man has "started her in business" and she has to pay him revenue.

What of Probation System?

Is there any foundation for the protests against the probation system? Does probation clog the wheels of progress for offenders?

Was the oft arrested and probationed girl entirely wrong in her denunciations? Had the Polish woman any right on her side when she refused to tell her address?

I ask these questions not because I have any intention of answering them but merely because they are being asked constantly by those who are interested in corrective legislation.

Scope of Morals Court.

The Morals court is in a peculiar position in this community. Unlike the other branches of the Municipal court, its influence may extend over the entire city. It is too much to hope that Chicago can be cleaned up until it shines with virtue, but the Morals court can, if it will, help greatly in the scrubbing up process. To do that it must have some means of following the actions of those who have gone wrong. Certain knowledge must be had about them. Does the probation system furnish that knowledge?

"LIVING VALENTINES."

Chicago Woman's Club Celebrates Fortieth Anniversary with Groups Depicting Activity and Achievements.

Miss Elsie Behn, Miss Marjorie Harvey, Miss Ruth Nilson, Miss Havrena Protheroe
Miss Dorothy Barnett, Miss Marian Hoban
(seated) Mrs. Harlan-Ward Cooley, Mrs. Caroline Brown

Living valentines retold the story of progress of the Chicago Woman's club at its fortieth anniversary celebration yesterday at the Studebaker theater. Six of the eight living founders were present.

The opening "valentine" was a reproduction of the first meeting of the club at 260 East Erie street, the residence of Mrs. Caroline M. Brown, the first president. In the tableau the twenty-one founders were represented by the daughters and granddaughters of the founders, dressed in the mode of 1876.

The second "valentine" showed silhouettes of the founders, among them Mrs. Brown, now of Charlottesville, Va.; Mrs. Julia Plato Harvey of Geneva; Mrs. F. S. Heyward of Elgin, and Mrs. William Cary Dow, Mrs. Emma Adams, and Mrs. Fanny J. Howe of Chicago.

The first kindergarten in the public schools, which was established by the club, was shown in another scene. The children were borrowed from one of the settlements. The Chicago Woman's club was responsible for the organization of the Juvenile court and scenes in the first and present Juvenile court were shown. Judge R. S. Tuthill, the first judge, and Judge Merritt W. Pinckney, the present judge, took part.

Another "valentine" showed art students in the Art institute, where the club established art scholarships. Among those in the group were Marjorie Harvey, Ruth Nilson, Havrena Protheroe, Marion Hoban, Dorothy Barnett, and Elsie Behr.

SITE TRICKERY CHARGE RAISES SCHOOL TUMULT

Trustees Near Riot After Clemensen Sees Return to Old "Underhand Methods."

Dr. Peter C. Clemensen dropped a bomb into the board of education meeting yesterday when he accused his fellow members of attempting to "put something over" in the purchase of sites. A scene that approached a riot followed.

Flushed and angry trustees denied that they were doing any underhanded work.

Dr. Clemensen, who was just as angry, told his fellow trustees that they are going back to the old system by which west side speculators in land were able to reap profits in school lands.

John W. Eckhart, shaking his fist in the direction of Dr. Clemensen, denied with heated words that there has been anything secret or underhanded in the purchase of sites since he has been on the board.

Perfect Din of Words.

At times it was impossible to catch what was being said, because so many men were talking at once. The voices of Dr. Clemensen, Mr. Eckhart, Ralph C. Otis, Edward J. Piggott, and Joseph A. Holpuch mingled in an attempt to be heard. Finally, by a vote of 14 to 4, the board upheld the acts of the sites committee and refused to make any changes in the present method of acquiring school land.

The board was meeting as a finance committee of the whole to discuss the building budget. Dr. Clemensen started things on the first item, which was a recommendation for the use of $1,000,000 in the purchase of sites.

"We have more sites now than we could supply with buildings in the next two years," said Dr. Clemensen. "Up to the time of the present board the sites have been bought by underground methods. Now we are going back to the old system."

Otis Defends Buying.

"Not in my experience," declared Mr. Otis, "has the board bought any property it didn't need."

"You started to make an investigation regarding the purchase of sites," replied Dr. Clemensen. "Why did you stop it? Why didn't you go any farther? I'd like to know the reason."

"We went just as far as we had authority and money," said Mr. Otis.

"I want to say," stated Dr. Clemensen, "that if there are any more deals for useless land I am going to oppose the purchase of it."

"The sum of $1,000,000 will not cover the cost of sites already authorized by the board," said Attorney Angus Roy Shannon. "If all the deals now in court, which have been started during the last four years, are completed this year, it will take $900,000 of the $1,000,000 appropriation to pay for them."

ARMENIAN HAMLET FAILS AGAIN AND LIGHT WAILS.

Springfield Milliner Charges Promoter of Shakspeare Drama "Stung" Her for $300.

Alexander Light filled the lobby of the Hotel Lexington with grievous wails yesterday when police executed a "pinch." From Mr. Light's arrest it is but one step to the conclusion that he has been promoting some more Armenian Hamlet somewhere.

To get the atmosphere of Mr. Light's latest exploit one must contemplate the dolorous one on the kerosene circuit. Thus far has Shakspearean drama fallen! When Mr. Light vanished from Chicago after his near-show blew up at rehearsal he went to Springfield and it appears got the confidence and financial backing of Mrs. Frank Wynekoop, proprietor of "The Millinery," a store devoted to chapeaus for women.

At any rate, Mrs. Wynekoop is the complainant to the extent of $300, which she said she put into Mr. Light's trick show.

SHERMAN A BIBLE STUDENT; READS CHAPTER EVERY DAY.

Illinois Senator Is Member of League Which Makes Daily Reading One of Its Rules.

Springfield, Ill., Feb. 16.—[Special.]—United States Senator Lawrence Y. Sherman is a student of the Bible. His friends in Springfield recalled this fact today in discussing the announcement, made a few days ago, that the senator, with James Hamilton Lewis, his colleague, had become a member of the Chapman-Alexander Pocket Testament league.

Rules of this league, which had its inception in England in 1908, require that each member read a chapter every morning from his pocket testament. Both senators from Illinois have subscribed to this regulation.

Senator Sherman has been a student of the Bible for many years. Intimate friends recalled this when reference was made to the senator's self-imposed obligation of regular reading of the scriptures.

VOTE M'KINLEY PARK AID.

Residents near McKinley park and others from the Fifth ward appeared before the south park commissioners yesterday to ask for a field house and other buildings in the park. The commissioners voted to expend $125,000 for improvements, including separate buildings to house gymnasiums for men and women.

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RUSSIANS QUIT WARSAW BEFORE GERMANS ENTER

Little Confusion Marks Fall of Polish Capital After Year of War.

BY STANLEY WASHBURN.

By July 26 the Germans by their furious attacks north and south had gradually attracted against themselves or the Austrians in one quarter or another of the extended front practically everything that the Russians had available. During this same time pressure was being exerted in the Baltic provinces with varying degrees of intensity, no doubt with the intention of preventing shifting of troops from one point of the Russian front to another.

Up to this time I had been based on Warsaw. By July 26 I felt sure neither the Narew line nor the Chelm-Lublin front could be broken quickly enough to make the danger in Warsaw immediate. I was at this time traveling in the company of Lieut. Sherman Miles, the American military attaché. We were both well posted on the Russian position and agreed as to the failure of the Germans in their major objectives.

For the moment the situation was good. I have often found the best way to estimate the German plans is to ask oneself what one would do if he were the Germans and knew what the Russians knew about themselves. This is what we did on July 26.

Vistula Defense Weakened.

We knew the Russians, in order to strengthen themselves in the north and south, had weakened their line south of Warsaw along the Vistula. This they did because the Vistula was, with its high eastern banks, easy to defend, and required the smallest number of men to hold it.

A glance at the map will show that a crossing of the Vistula south of Warsaw would enable the Germans, if they had plenty of cavalry, to reach the important junction of Novaminsk in a stiff day's march, as it is a shorter distance from the Vistula to this point than from Novaminsk to Warsaw. I therefore moved my base to Novaminsk itself, which with its intersection of highways gave an excellent chance to get about quickly in a motor car.

On July 27 and 28 the Germans crossed the Vistula near the mouth of the Radomica river, or within ten miles of the point we had estimated two days before as being the weakest in the Russian line. From then things moved rapidly. The first crossing probably did not include more than a division and a half of the enemy, and this was checked by troops hurried up from Ewarts' army.

Germans Find Weak Point.

There was a flurry at headquarters, for it was clear to all that the Germans had found the Russian heel of Achilles. Yet with the enemy fighting fiercely and losing heavily in their important operations on the Narew and Chelm-Lublin line, it did not seem possible that any movement which could be developed on a third front could command sufficient backing in new troops to be more than a reconnaissance.

On July 28 the headway gained was checked, and reports of this result in the fighting found answer in the optimism at Warsaw. Then came news that another German corps had arrived and was preparing to cross the river at about the same point. It was at once clear that the advance of these corps on Novaminsk would wreck the whole defense of Warsaw.

The answer of Alexieff, who was in supreme command on this front, was to extend the line of the Warsaw defense, making three corps do the work previously assigned to four, and the fourth, which was the Thirty-sixth reserve corp, by the process of extension of front was squeezed over the river at Gorakalwarja and effected the double purpose not only of getting out of the Warsaw salient itself but at the same time coming in between the advancing Germans and the line of the Russian retreat from Warsaw.

Temporary Halt for Germans.

Conditions were alarming when this corps came over, but within twenty-four hours it had administered a serious slap to the enemy and driven them back toward the river in some places, while in practically every place it was holding its own. But now again was felt the want of ammunition, but notwithstanding the meager diet of the guns the battle was going decidedly in favor of the Russians.

On Monday, Aug. 2, I motored from Novaminsk to the staff of Alexieff to get some gasoline and tires, and there learned that the optimism, for which I have been severely criticized since, was up to this time shared by the general staff. Gen. Goulevitch, chief of staff of Alexieff, and with whom I talked as we stood in the sunshine in front of his headquarters, told me, and I quote his exact words:

"Had you come to me before 2 o'clock this morning I should have told you that we felt almost sure of saving Warsaw."

More Teuton Troops Arrive.

What had happened to break this optimism was this: The Germans had suddenly brought up two additional corps not taken from any other point on the Russian front, and these were already crossing the Vistula east of Garwolin, a little city on the road between Warsaw and Lublin. This made four enemy corps against not above one corps and a brigade or two of Russians to hold them back.

Besides these new enemy formations it was learned that three Austrian divisions, said to be coming from the Serbian theater of operations, were on their way to this same offensive. This meant, then, that with the enemy forces already on the ground and with those due to arrive shortly the Germans would have approximately five and a half corps against a shade over one Russian unit to defend this spot in the line.

Line Closes In on Warsaw.

Before Warsaw there now stood only three corps. It was clear that to weaken that front meant the certainty of a break in the line, and it was equally obvious that unless the force south of Warsaw was supported promptly it would be driven back and the line from Warsaw to the rear menaced by the enemy.

Every one in Warsaw who for months had been speculating as to how the huge army standing before the city would get out in case of the giving up of Warsaw had always imagined that the main body of the army would pass through the city. We had pictured scenes of confusion with bridges overloaded and chaos and panic everywhere. Nothing like this happened.

Pontoon bridges had already been thrown across the river at many points both north and south of Warsaw and very little ever passed through the town at all. When it became clear that the crossing of the Vistula by the Germans was in reality the last straw to the defense, the front was again extended, permitting the Thirty-fifth corps to slide out over the river and by joining the Thirty-sixth already there interpose an obstacle to further German advances.

Last Defenders Quit City.

The last formations which had been holding the rear guard outside of Warsaw marched quietly through the town between 10 o'clock and midnight without much excitement or chaos as far as I have been able to learn. By 1:30 a. m. Warsaw was evacuated by practically the entire army.

At a little before 3 a. m. the last automobile attached to the staff of the second army, which had left two or three days before, went out over the Vistula bridge and at 3 o'clock in the morning the bridges were blown up.

At 6 a. m. the first German troops arrived on the banks of the Vistula. Thus did the Russians give up the Polish capital after just one year of the war.

The fifth article by Mr. Washburn on the Teutonic drives in Russia will appear in tomorrow's "Tribune."

U. S. MUST KEEP WEST POINT TO TRAIN EFFICIENT OFFICERS.

All questions having to do with military or naval affairs will be answered in this column or, space lacking, by mail, provided a stamped envelope is sent.

BY CAPT. HENRY J. REILLY.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS.

M. J. writes: "I notice in the testimony of the president of the Illinois state university before the house committee, and have also seen it stated other places, that excellent officers can be turned out of the different colleges throughout the country at a much less expense than can be done at West Point. If this is so, why continue to maintain West Point?"

REPLY.

No man can serve two masters and serve both of them well. A man cannot primarily receive the training for some occupation in civil life, and incidentally the training of an officer, and be an excellent officer any more than a man studying medicine in a medical school can devote a few hours a week to the study of law and be a good lawyer.

The kind of officer we must have to lead our troops in battle is primarily determined by the kind of officers who will lead the troops of possible enemies. In all the principal European armies and in the army of Japan a great majority of the officers are carefully trained to be such for considerable periods prior to their appointment to the lowest grade. The periods spent on such training are continuous and all the work done each day has but one object in view, that of making a good officer. These men on becoming officers spend their whole time in the practice and study of their profession.

In most armies their promotion largely depends upon the ability they show as officers. In other words, they are professional men, just as much as practicing lawyers, practicing engineers, or practicing surgeons or doctors. In all these countries they have corps of reserve officers. These officers, however, have all served one or two years in the army, where they underwent strenuous and continuous training with the object of fitting them to occupy the lowest grade. These men, even in war times, seldom get higher command than that of a company of infantry.

In other words, all the large armies of all the principal powers are led by highly trained professional officers. Armies not so led cannot compete with them. The military academy at West Point, and possibly two or three of the leading military schools in the country, are the only places in the United States where men receive sufficient military training to start them in the lowest grade of officer on a plane with the officer of foreign services. No school that gives less training than this can possibly turn out competent officers.

Every encouragement should be given schools like the University of Illinois to give as much military training as possible, with the object of turning out each year a number of young men who could receive, say a year's special training in the regular army, with the object of building up a corps of reserve officers. The mistake must never be made, however, of thinking that these men can be the equal as officers of graduates of the military academy, the graduates of the leading military schools of the country, or of the professional European or Japanese officer.

M. J. M. writes: "Are there any aviation schools for civilians in the United States? What is the cost and time required to become a proficient aviator?"

REPLY.

Curtiss has a school at San Diego, Cal.; Wright has one at Augusta, Ga.; Galladet one at Mineola, L. I.; Burgess one at Marblehead, Mass.; Thomas one at Ithaca, N. Y., and Martin one at Los Angeles, Cal.

The charges vary. Roughly the cost is from $250 to $300. There are two kinds of contracts as a rule. One in which the pupil pays for breakage and the other in which the school guarantees to get a pilot's certificate for the pupil for a certain fixed sum.

The time necessary depends upon the pupil. Some of them manage to get through in three weeks. Merely obtaining a pilot's license does not mean that the pupil is a good cross country flyer, which me must be if he is to become a military aviator. In the army it is considered that six months' daily work is necessary to make a man a reasonably good cross country flyer. Suggest writing to one of the schools for particulars.

SAYS BIG LOBBY IS PUSHING GRAB OF WATER POWER

Conservation Leader Makes a Plea for Defeat of Shields Bill in the Senate.

[BY A STAFF CORRESPONDENT.]

Washington, D. C., Feb. 16.—[Special.]—Charges that one of the most active and most pernicious lobbies ever at work in Washington is busy in behalf of the Shields water power bill, which is being considered in the senate, were made tonight by the National Conservation association through its secretary, Harry A. Slattery.

According to Mr. Slattery, this lobby has carried on its work so effectively that unless there is an immediate expression of public opinion against the Shields bill that measure will be enacted into law, thereby giving the use of enormously valuable public property to the water power interests without any compensation to the public.

In connection with the conservation association's charge it became known today that President Wilson will not take a stand in opposition to the Shields bill in its present form.

Plea Made by Slattery.

"The public should be advised," Mr. Slattery said, "of the situation in the senate. The Shields bill, which is now before that body, practically turns over all of the available water power sites along the navigable rivers of the United States to the water power interests without one cent of compensation to the United States. Representatives of these interests are now in Washington working for the passage of the measure. They are confident of success because the public's mind and apparently the senate's also has been turned to other questions.

"There never was a time when the cause of conservation was in such need of assistance as now, when the public's property needed such careful guarding from the clutches of interests which have been fighting for it for years."

The men who compose this lobby, Mr. Slattery said, are connected with the interlocking companies which control all the water power companies in the United States.

"Represent Power Interests."

"All of these men," Mr. Slattery said, "either are in Washington at this moment or have been here within the last few weeks earnestly advocating the passage of the Shields bill.

"They represent the water power interests of the country, including the promoters, the operators, the dealers in supplies, and the dealers in the securities offered to the public. In no sense at all do they represent the public in the fight before the senate. If the Shields bill is passed the concerns represented by these men will profit and the public will suffer. If it is defeated their concerns will lose the opportunity to gain control through what are practically grants in perpetuity of sixty millions of undeveloped horse power along navigable rivers, without paying the public one cent of compensation."

Senators Who Aid Bill.

The men in the senate who are working hardest to obtain the passage of the Shields bill are Senator Shields of Tennessee, its author; Senators Bankhead and Underwood of Alabama, and Senator Smoot of Utah.

Mr. Slattery tonight pointed out that a close relationship exists between the Utah Securities company and the Alabama Traction, Light and Power company. Both concerns, he said, are subsidiaries of the General Electric company. Also, both concerns control a majority of the available horse power, both developed and undeveloped, in their respective fields.

Use Office of Underwood.

One of the most earnest advocates of the Shields measure in the senate is Senator Oscar W. Underwood of Alabama, former majority leader in the house. Senator Underwood said today he not only hoped the Shields bill would be enacted within a few weeks but that the water power companies would take advantage of its terms, claim the sites, and start the work of developing the 60,000,000 horse power.

In connection with Senator Underwood's advocacy of the measure it developed today that his office is being used by several of the men who are on the ground working for the passage of the bill.

One of them is former Congressman Taylor of Alabama.

Aged Texan Sought Here.

A. Harris, president of the Chicago House Wrecking company, has instituted a search in Chicago for Edward Landa, an aged Texan, who has disappeared from his home in Galveston. The Rabbi Henry Cohen of Galveston is a cousin of Mr. Harris' and is interested in finding Landa.

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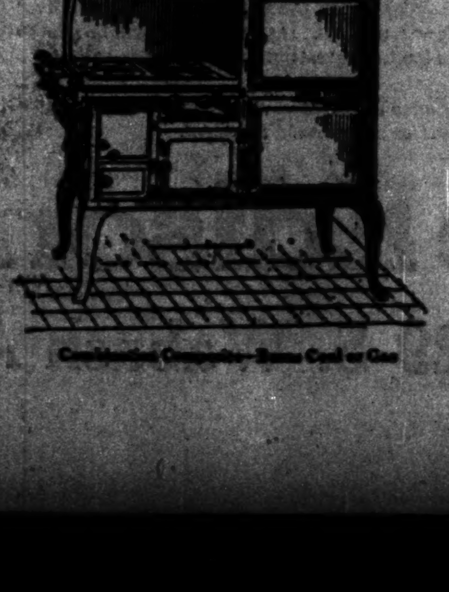

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MAYOR WHANGS UNNAMED BOSS, BACKS HIS AIDS

Defends Forsberg's "Splendid Record" and Praises Coffin's Acts.

The finance committee of the city council was the target of Mayor Thompson's philippics last night in the Fifteenth and Twenty-fifth wards. Incidentally, he pleaded with the voters to defeat Rodrigues, the Socialist, in the Fifteenth, and Oliver L. Watson, the independent, in the Twenty-seventh ward.

The proposal of the finance committee to cut the salary of President Coffin of the civil service commission and abolish entirely the office of City Collector Forsberg brought from the mayor the hottest attack he has yet made on the council.

Firm for Forsberg.

He read the figures showing, he said, that Forsberg had the best record of any city collector who ever held the position, and added:

"Mr. Forsberg has made this splendid record because he has not allowed the breweries to play horse with this administration. They have had to pay their saloon licenses this time. And now the finance committee of the city council proposes to abolish his office entirely. That's the way the present city council has of showing its appreciation of an honest city official."

Taking up the case of Mr. Coffin, the mayor first said he was one of the "bravest, truest, most honest" men who ever held office in Chicago. He then charged that "dishonest employés of the city" in the street department had put over one piece of graft that netted them $30,000.

Reply to "Spoils" Cry.

"Capt. Coffin showed up this graft and discharged the grafters," the mayor said. "We also will carry this case to the limit and try to put these grafters in the penitentiary. As soon as we showed up this dishonesty there was a great cry in the newspapers that we were trying to build up a spoils system, that we were discharging honest employés to make room for Thompson henchmen. Think of it. These grafters got away with $30,000 of the taxpayers' money and because we kicked them out, as we shall kick out all grafters as rapidly as we discover them, they holler spoils system.

"And this finance committee of the city council now proposes to award such a public official by cutting his salary in two. Your mayor, my friends, is getting tired of this sort of thing, and he now pledges to you that he will fight day and night so long as he is your mayor against such tactics."

The mayor said a deliberate attempt had been made to "fool the people" by the charge that thousands of temporary appointments had been made in order to give room for Thompson henchmen.

IN TERROR

Sicilian Couple Guarded by Police After Threat of Death by a Bomb if Money Were Not Paid.

Salvatore Lombardi and Wife

Terrorized over the receipt of a Black Hand letter demanding $500 which, the writer said, if not forthcoming meant death, Salvatore Lombardi, 643 South La Salle street, asked police protection last night for himself and wife. Lieut. Crotty of the South Clark street station detailed Patrolman Thomas Ferriter to go to the couples' squalid rooms and remain with them. Husband and wife slept in chairs through the night, while at the other side of the stove sat their protector.

Lombardi and his wife are Sicilians and have been in America about three years. He is a railroad section hand. She also works, and they have saved $800. Twice within the last month thieves have ransacked their home, but found nothing.

A few days later Lombardi received a letter demanding money. He paid no attention. Since then he has received two more letters, the last yesterday. It informed Lombardi that unless he complied with the demand for $500 inside of twenty-four hours both he and his wife would be killed by a bomb.

CITY CLERK 'CUTS LOOSE' AGAINST ALLY OF MAYOR

Siman Charges Attempt to 'Fix' Him to Give G. L. Robertson Good Place.

City Clerk John Siman last night exploded one of the bombs he has been saving ever since the Thompson forces charged him with juggling the aldermanic petitions when they were filed at his office.

At a meeting in the Thirteenth ward he charged that George L. Robertson, Thompson candidate against Ald. Frank H. Ray, had sent an emissary to him several days before the date that filing was permitted and that this emissary wanted to "fix things" so that Robertson's name would head the list of Republican candidates in the ward.

He said that the "ambassador extraordinary" occupies a prominent place on the city payroll, but he did not give his name.

"Who was it?" called some one in the audience.

"You'll get that," replied Siman, "don't be afraid."

"I'm saving that for another speech in the ward," he told reporters.

Right Witness Not Called.

"When the civil service commission was making its investigation," he said in his speech, "it did not get the evidence of some important witnesses, one of particular importance being a newspaper man. He wanted to testify, waited in the hall until President Coffin left his office, buttonholed him, and asked if he was to be called, but the captain put him off.

"One of the candidates who raised the loudest cry of fraud was Mr. Robertson. Now let us see how this Mr. Robertson plays politics. Let us tear away his seemingly virtuous mask and what do we see?

"This man who is raising a cry of 'Stop, thief!' this man who cries 'Fraud!' this man who signed false and cowardly charges against civil service employés in the city clerk's office—this same man several days prior to the day set for filing petitions sent an emissary who visited me in my private office, carrying a large envelope in his inside coat pocket and wanting to 'fix things up,' so as to secure first place on the ballot. This ambassador extraordinary, who occupies a prominent place on the city hall pay roll, was informed by me that I would not be 'fixed.'

"Nasty Business," He Says.

"Mr. Robertson is engaged in a nasty piece of political business. His friends try to 'fix things up' to Mr. Robertson's advantage and then he accuses faithful, honest civil service employés of committing gross frauds because he did not secure first position on the ballot.

"Mr. Robertson and the other candidates who charged fraud signed those absurd and cowardly charges first, and then afterward sought to secure evidence, fair or foul, to sustain their contemptible charges."

JUST 3 APPEAR AT TRAFFIC QUIZ

Engineer Board Doubts Zeal of Straphangers as the Hearing Opens.

MEET AGAIN TODAY.

Your true Chicagoan gasps curses against the surface and elevated lines as he clings to his strap, but when it comes to going before a commission which is seeking to remedy the municipal transportation evils and telling his ideas on the subject he is not there at all.

Such was the conclusion reached yesterday by the three members of the new engineering commission created by the city council. In the morning the two New York members, William Barclay Parsons and Robert Ridgway, passed the time riding about the city in an open automobile to get a general idea of conditions. In the afternoon, with Bion J. Arnold, they opened the first public hearing in the rooms of the council committee on transportation in the city hall.

Just Three Persons Appear.

Just three persons appeared to present their ideas to the commission. They were William E. Kerr, representing the Cook county real estate board; L. H. Mills, and Thomas Downs. Kerr was the only one with a lengthy set of ideas. Mills suggested the extension of the elevated lines as one remedy, and all three appeared to be in favor of merger or coöperation of the elevated and surface lines. After the three had completed their statements Chairman Parsons of the commission announced that the public hearing would be resumed this afternoon, and that if no additional interest is shown there will be no meeting tomorrow.

Mr. Kerr took the position that the subway questions should be the last considered by the commission. First attention, he said, should be given to getting the maximum service out of existing systems. Next, he declared, extension of existing systems should be considered, and then, last of all, if it was found that the surface and elevated lines could not provide sufficient transportation, the subway problem should be taken up.

Divided Point of View.

"Unfortunately," Mr. Kerr said, "there exists a divided point of view in dealing with the transportation problem—on one hand the loop and on the other the outlying districts. This conflict already has developed in the expenditure of traction funds. Expenditure on loop subways, I believe, would only aggravate the situation, while there are large sections on the northwest and southwest sides separated by branches of the Chicago river which prevent intersectional travel without the trip downtown and out again.

"A second point of the investigation should concern particularly service obtainable from existing facilities—the surface and elevated lines. We need a more efficient service without adding materially to fixed charges.

"Facilities should be provided for the electric interurban lines, which are now with one exception, forced to stop at or near the city limits. Chicago should not surround itself with a Chinese wall against electric interurban lines.

"It would be futile, wasteful, foolish for the city to spend a large sum for a new form of transportation until it is absolutely sure that the present facilities are being operated at their fullest efficiency."

Mr. Kerr asserted that the first duty of the commission should be to arrange for a complete traffic survey.

L. H. Mills of Mills & Son, a real estate firm, asked the commission to consider the extension of transportation service to outlying districts now without any form of transportation.

"Would you be willing to stand your share of extra taxation to build the new lines necessary?" asked Mr. Arnold.

"I certainly would," he replied.

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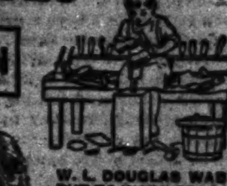

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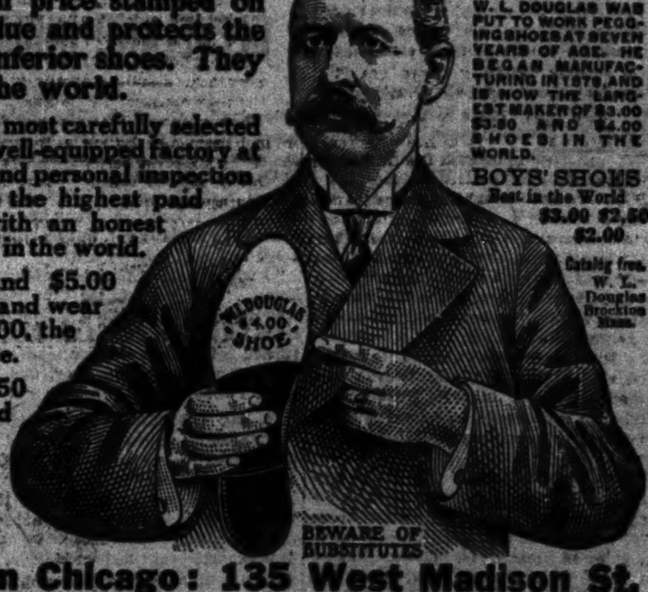

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PIRATES LAND YOUNG WILSON THROUGH SALE

Weeghman Turns Over Star Cub Catcher to Manager Callahan.

BY JAMES CRUSINBERRY.

Art Wilson, who has been one of the favorites for the last two years at Weeghman park, will be battling against Chicago this summer when he appears at the north side pastiming place. A deal was closed officially yesterday which sold Wilson to the Pittsburgh Pirates.

President Weeghman held out against the sale until late in the afternoon and finally consented. Jimmy Callahan, manager of the Pirates, was on hand with persuasive language and Manager Tinker of the new Cubs figured he could afford to sell one of his three star catchers. Negotiations have been in progress for Wilson for more than a week.

Tinker figured there was no need of his carrying three star catchers, such as Archer, Wilson, and Fischer, as it would be necessary to have two of them sitting on the bench every day. With two stars and some youngster to act as third man, the Cubs still will possess the best catching staff in the league. On the other hand, Callahan needed a catcher badly for the Pirates. It is likely Art will catch more games than any other man on the Pirate crew.

Big Help for Callahan.

"Boston, New York, and Pittsburgh all wanted one of our catchers," said Weeghman, "and we figured we could sell one without weakening our team a bit. I didn't want to help out either the Braves or the Giants, for it looks now as if they are more likely to be fighting us for the pennant than will be Pittsburgh. Therefore we figured we could afford to let Callahan have a man. I hated to part with Wilson because he's been a great man for me and the north side fans liked him.

"It looked as if we could better afford to part with him than with Archer, and we never considered letting Fischer go because, although he may not have the reputation yet of Archer or Wilson, we think he is destined to be one of the greatest catchers in the game. I can not state the price paid to us for Wilson, as Mr. Dreyfuss of the Pittsburgh club asked that it be kept secret."

Manager Callahan of the Pirates was pleased over the addition of Wilson to his Pirate crew. From his home last night he talked in glowing terms of his prospects.

Thinks Well of Wilson.

"I never have seen a great deal of Wilson's work," said Callahan, "but I have seen enough to know he's a first class man. From what others tell me I think, too, that I have secured a fellow with the right kind of baseball spirit, an aggressive worker, a smart player, and a fine fellow in every respect."

The Pittsburgh team will do its spring work at Hot Springs, and Wilson was notified yesterday that he belonged to Pittsburgh and would be expected to report for duty according to Callahan's orders.

Before Wilson joined the Feds two years ago he was a member of the New York Giants, but wasn't in the game regularly, because at that time Chief Meyers was going in great style. Wilson became disgusted with his job, and when the Feds expanded and Tinker offered him a contract with the Chicago team he accepted. He caught most of the games during 1914 and was one of the leading hitters. Last year he had Fischer to help with the catching and didn't have so much work to do, but finished the year with a batting mark well over .300.

Sox Leaders Go to New York.

Owner Comiskey and Manager Rowland of the White Sox left yesterday at noon for New York to attend the American league meeting today, and before boarding the train said that they still were in the hunt for a third baseman even if Frank Baker had been sold to the New York Yankees.

"We are ready to make one or two offers for one or two men we have in mind," said Rowland, "and I think the offers are so big that they will be given attention. If we get either one of two men I am negotiating for, the fans will not be sorry that we didn't land Frank Baker."

It was thought the Sox bosses have a plan to get Fritz Maisel from the Yankees, now that Baker has been obtained to play third base there. With both Maisel and Baker the Yanks will be overstocked with third base material, and it is believed they could be induced to part with Maisel if some star outfielder were offered in trade. One report was that Joe Jackson would be offered even up for the little third sacker, but Comiskey and Rowland declined to mention any names.

CHANGE SATISFIES WILSON: EXPECTS THE SAME SALARY

Decatur, Ill., Feb. 16.—[Special.]—Arthur Wilson, Chicago catcher, sold today to Pittsburgh, said tonight that the Pittsburgh club probably would assume his contract with the Federal league, which has still another year to run. "I'm very well satisfied," was his comment. "I suppose Pittsburgh will assume my contract, which still had another year to run. The money was deposited in a Chicago bank to my credit before I signed with the Federals and I have been drawing my salary regularly from the bank." Wilson signed a three year contract with the Federals.

TOM SEYMOUR FOUND DEAD.

Boise, Idaho, Feb. 16.—[Special.]—Thomas Seymour, ex-National league ball player, was found dead today in the mountains near Cascade, in Long valley. He was frozen to death. Seymour had some mining property on West mountain. He went to Cascade several weeks ago from Parrette and outfitted for the mines, intending to do some prospect work. It is supposed that he became lost in one of the frequent storms in that section and was exposed to the bitter cold weather. His body, frozen stiff, was found alongside the mountain trail. Seymour was 45 years old.

J. C. DUNN AND OTHER CHICAGOANS TO BUY CLEVELAND INDIANS

Cleveland, O., Feb. 16.—[Special.]—James C. Dunn of Chicago, senior member of the contracting firm of Dunn & McCarthy, is to be the next president and largest stockholder of the Cleveland American league team. Dunn has not purchased the Indians yet, but he admits it is a 100 to 1 shot that he will.

"I will not stand for a tail-ender," says Dunn. "If I thought the Cleveland club was destined to remain a second division team, I would not buy. I believe it can be turned into a first division team with the expenditure of some money, and that is what I intend to do."

No Clevelanders in Deal.

With Dunn in the ownership of the Indians may be associated other Chicago men, but President Ban Johnson of the American league stated today that no Clevelanders would be stockholders.

While no confirmation could be obtained, it is reported that Robert McRoy, former business manager of the Boston Red Sox, will be one of the owners of the Cleveland club and will make his residence here, where he will represent the new owners.

Johnson arrived this morning, accompanied by Dunn and the latter's partner, P. S. McCarthy. After a conference with A. V. Cannon, C. W. Somers' attorney, in the morning, Johnson again met with Cannon and George P. Steele at Cannon's office in the afternoon.

At the latter session it was announced the bankers had turned the club over to Johnson, who would announce the new owners within ten days.

Dunn to Be President.

"I confess," said Dunn. "I admit I am interested in baseball and particularly in the Cleveland baseball club. I expect to become the principal owner of the Indians within the next few days."

"Will you be the next president" he was asked.

"I expect to," was his reply. "I never went into anything yet in which I was not the principal stockholder, and that being the case I believe I will have sufficient stock to elect myself president."

Dunn had a conference with Lee Fohl and practically assured him of his reappointment as manager of the Indians. They conferred at length in regard to players needed by Cleveland to make a first division outfit of the team. Had Dunn purchased the Indians ten days sooner, he would have bid with the Yankee magnates for the services of Frank Baker whose signing with New York was announced Tuesday.

Sees Golden Chance.

"I think there is a golden opportunity for success in Cleveland," said Dunn. "It is a great town and one that is destined to be one of the greatest cities in the country. I know it will not stand for a tail-ender and I intend that it will not be afflicted with such a team. I know it is baseball crazy.

"The crowds of 80,000 and more that the amateur games drew showed me that much. It will be my effort to get those packing League park again. That is, if I take the club, and I have told you it is a 100 to 1 shot that I will."

Johnson left tonight to attend the American league schedule meeting in New York, where he will report the Cleveland sale for ratification by the league.

NO WOMEN IN BRAVES' CAMP.

Boston, Mass., Feb. 16.—[Special.]—Manager George T. Stallings of the Braves has notified each member of the training party that the camp is to be for men only, and the instructions are that no women will be allowed. The ruling applies to the wives of the players and, while some of them will regret it, they will have to abide by the boss's decision. Stallings believes that with the women at home the boys will really busy themselves in the work at hand.

BRESNAHAN IN BED; CONDITION CRITICAL

TOLEDO, O., Feb. 16.—Roger Bresnahan, deposed manager of the Chicago Cubs, is seriously ill in bed at his residence here and physicians who attended him today declared he is in a critical condition. It is feared the famous catcher and manager may be in for a siege of pneumonia. Roger contracted a severe cold here last Monday, but neglected to give it prompt attention, and today his condition was such that when a doctor was called the order was given at once to go to bed and other physicians were called for consultation. In the opinion of the physicians there is great danger of pneumonia developing.

NEW MAGNATES WILL ATTEND N. Y. MEETING

New York, Feb. 16.—Magnates of the American league may be called upon to welcome two new club owners when they gather tomorrow for their annual schedule meeting. Phil Ball, president of the St. Louis team, will make his bow at a league meeting, and it also is expected that the new president of the Cleveland club will be on hand to mingle with his fellow magnates. James C. Dunn of Chicago, who is reported as the prospective purchaser of the Indians, probably will appear before the meeting ends.

Baseball's political season will be closed this week. The national commission will meet here during the American league session and on Saturday the Federal league owners will assemble in Chicago to wind up the affairs of the defunct organization.

The national commission meeting promises to be a busy one. Several tangled skeins of the Federal league yarn have to be unravelled, not the least being the Baltimore difficulty, in which President Barrow of the International league is playing a leading part. The commission, however, believes it will be able to straighten out this and all other matters pertaining to the solidifying of a permanent peace compact.

The Jersey City-Newark situation in the International league, including as it does the Ebbets-Barrow controversy over a claim made against the Newark franchise for $74,000 by the Brooklyn magnate, will require a good deal of attention from the national high court of baseball.

BARRY BEATS DAMEN, 6 TO 3.

Barry council clung to its slim chance for the flag in the west section of the Knights of Columbus Indoor league by trimming Damen at St. Francis hall last night, 6 to 3. Damen solved Frank Halas for thirteen blows, but the veteran held the enemy safe except in the sixth frame, when Damen counted its three runs. Halas fanned seventeen and Boras sixteen. If the leading St. Patrick nine drops both its two remaining games Barry can tie it for the sectional title. Score:

Barry	2	0	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	6	0
Damen	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	3	0

Batteries—Halas and Morrissey; Boras and Alexander.

FRATERNITY BACKS PLAYER.

New York, Feb. 16.—The refusal of Jimmy Johnston of the Newark Federal league club to sign a contract with the Brooklyn Nationals, to which he was sold, has been sustained by the Baseball Players' fraternity, according to a statement issued tonight by President David A. Fultz.

CHICAGO YACHTSMEN FAVOR PLAN TO RACE IN EASTERN WATERS

BY JACK PROCTOR.

A match race between representative boats of the east and the west for the sectional class R championship is being talked of and it is more than likely that such an interlocutional meeting will be held next summer.

The scheme was launched several days ago, when Commodore Morse of the Corinthian Yacht club of Boston visited this city and conferred with leading class R champions regarding the proposed match. The plan received additional impetus last night when the Boat Owners' association of the Chicago Yacht club met at the La Salle hotel in its third session of the winter season. In the absence of Chairman Edward Rosing the meeting was presided over by Secretary H. G. Crowder, who told the members of Commodore Morse's visit and of his plan to bring eastern and western boats together.

Race in Eastern Waters.

Commodore Morse has proposed that the best boats of each section meet in a series of elimination races and that the winners meet late in the summer for the American championship. In order to create interest in the match Commodore Morse has offered a trophy as the principal prize. The only stipulation made by the Boston man is that the race shall be held in eastern waters.

Ogden T. McClurg, owner of XXIX; Otto Schoenwerk, owner of Banshee; and Samuel Dauchy, owner of Mala, were among those present at last night's meeting, and all declared themselves in favor of Commodore Morse's project. Another meeting is to be held later on for discussion of the details.

McClurg Buys Speedwell.

Mr. McClurg announced the purchase of the three masted, steam auxiliary schooner yacht Speedwell from a New York yachtsman. The local man is to take possession of his new craft on March 1, when he and a party of friends will start on a two months' cruise to the West Indies. Later on Speedwell will be brought to Chicago.

The craft will be the largest of the kind ever sailed on the great lakes. It is 160 feet long on deck, measures 135 feet long on the waterline, has a beam of twenty-seven feet, and draws 13.6. The craft has stateroom accommodations for ten people.

ROI TAN BOWLERS EIGHTH.

Minneapolis, Minn., Feb. 16.—[Special.]—The El Roi Tan team of Chicago shot into eighth place in the International Bowling association tournament tonight. It totaled 2,720 pins. W. Brasch led his teammates in high average, hitting the wood for counts of 211, 196, and 185. Henny Marino, last year's singles champion, got away to a bad start, but came back with counts of 201 and 202. The Nihnstadts couldn't bunch their strikes and scores and finished with 2,570.

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BILLIARD GOSSIP.

Detroit, Mich., Feb. 16.—[Special.]—Clarence Jackson of Detroit defeated Pierre Mahpome of St. Louis, 50 to 43, in eighty-three innings, each made a high run of five.

Boston, Mass., Feb. 16.—[Special.]—August Kieckhefer of Chicago defeated George Fulton of Boston in the Interstate Three Cushion Billiard league match tonight, 50 to 41, in eighty-five innings. Kieckhefer's high run was 8, while Fulton's best effort was 4. The winner made a number of star shots and was roundly applauded.

St. Louis, Mo., Feb. 16.—Charles Le Grue of Peoria, Ill., defeated Bob Cannefax of St. Louis, 50 to 42, in their Interstate league match tonight. Although Cannefax lost, his play was of difficult bank shots was the feature of the game. Cannefax made a high run of 8 and Le Grue clicked off six for his top notch. The game lasted seventy-one innings.

C. A. A. NATATOR BREAKS WORLD'S PLUNGE RECORD

Lichter Lowers Mark to :19 in Title Contest; McDermott Takes 220 Race.

BY WALTER H. ECKERSALL.

Plunging the length of a 60 foot tank in :19, J. P. Lichter of the Chicago Athletic association last night not only broke the Central A. A. U. championship record, but he also established a new world's mark, which will be hard to beat. Michael McDermott was an easy winner in the 220 yard Central A. A. U. championship breast stroke, the other title contest.

In establishing his world's record Lichter made the mark on his final preliminary trial. He got a good pushoff and struck the water with enough momentum to carry him through at a record breaking clip. In his first two attempts Lichter went too deep in the water, but on his record breaking effort he made a shallow dive, which enabled him to be close to the surface. The previous world's record was held by Craig Redmon of the University of Chicago. His mark was :19 1-5.

Others Get Good Marks.

Previous to Lichter's record performance, B. H. Princell of the Hamilton club had plunged the distance in :20. D. V. A. Smith of the Illinois A. C. plunged the length of the course in :20 1-5.

Mike McDermott, world's champion breast stroke swimmer, retained his Central A. A. U. title. He won hands down from Taylor and Chapman of the C. A. A. Mike took the lead from the start and never was in danger of defeat. He covered the distance in 2:40 3-5. He holds the world's record of 2:38 2-5.

Summary of Events.

Central A. A. U. championship plunge—Won by J. P. Lichter, C. A. A.; B. H. Princell, Hamilton club, second; D. V. A. Smith, I. A. C., third. Time, :19 (new world's record).

Central A. A. U. 220 yard breast stroke—Won by Michael McDermott, I. A. C.; G. H. Taylor, C. A. A., second; H. N. Chapman, C. A. A., third. Time, 2:40 3-5.

40 yard club handicap—Won by S. Quick, :02; F. E. Fewsmith, scr., second; H. E. Burton, :03, third. Time, :22 4-5.

60 yard club handicap, back stroke—Won by H. Olson, :08; W. G. Farrell, scr., second; Bert Olson, :08, third. Time, 1:00 4-5.

80 yard club handicap—Won by F. Pickel, :08; Kenneth Hunsaker, scr., second; Ralph Hunsaker, :03, third. Time, :47 1-5.

Life savers' range race—Won by E. N. Chapman; E. J. Powers, second. Time, :42.

LOWERS WORLD SWIM MARK.

New York, Feb. 16.—[Special.]—Herbert E. Vollmer, New York A. C., swimming star, emphasized his claim to greatness tonight when he won the 220 yard swimming championship of the Metropolitan A. A. U. in the New York tank and displaced the world's record made by C. M. Daniels, who years ago carried the N. Y. A. C. emblem in many successful attempts on records. Vollmer cut through the water in 2:34 4-5.

Cub for Six Weeks But Now a Pirate

HOWARD MAJORS LEAD PIN MEET

Rockford, Ill., Feb. 16.—The Howard Majors of Chicago swept to the front in the five men competition by rolling 2,819, eliminating Dorr Baker's Colts of Beloit, Wis., by more than 100 pins.

A. Stehno of the Bingo team of Chicago made the highest individual score of the day, rolling 600. T. Karlicek of the same team made high single game score with 258. The Bingos rolled into a tie for fifth place with 2,651.

Two Beloit men distanced all competitors in the individual event. W. Perkings rolled 636 and L. Mytz got 621.

LUXEMBURGER PIN TEAM GETS 1,008 1-3 AVERAGE.

Luxemburgers counted some big figures in the Bryn Mawr bowling league last night when they posted 1,008 1-3 for a triple victory over the III-Class team, which had 929 for the route. Mike Weiber and Jim Faetz starred in the big series with 229 1-3 and 219 1-3. Dave Williams padded his average in the Berger league with another brilliant contribution of 217 2-3, the Buckeyes winning three hollow victories over the Goldbergs.

Zech showed the Mercantile league another new record by putting up a 275 count for the Florists, his big score saving his side from being whitewashed by the Ricketts. Zech averaged 207. Some good form was shown in the City league also, although the Chalmers lost two more games, while the leading Hotel Francesca team kept forging ahead. Harry Steers shot a 215 1-3 for the best mark at Steer's.

BOWLERS GATHER BIG TOTALS IN INTERCLUB MEET

Bostelman and Kruger Take Lead in Doubles Event with 1,174.

Minor event bowlers went into action in the Interclub Bowling association tournament last night while the five man event wound up, the former taking place at the I. A. C. alleys while the latter took at the C. A. A. Some big totals were put up by the men in the doubles and singles. R. D. Bostelman and W. J. Kruger taking the lead in the doubles with 1,174, due to Dr. Bostelman's 631 series that toured the pair into the front.

"Bob" Wagner and Al Fuller, two famous tournament players, shot second in the doubles with 1,163, Wagner opening with a tall 246 count. Smith and Bostelman got 1,146 for another high place in the standing. H. Gillespie ran first in the singles with a 604, while Wagner picked up another temporary second place with 597. He backed up his work with 1,704, which leads the all events. Wagner on the early shift of the five man event was tight, with the I. A. C. No. 2 high with 2,559. Scores:

TWO MAN EVENT.

R. D. Bostelman	512	631	543	1,174
W. J. Kruger	170	197	165	
H. A. Wagner	246	197	170	1,163
A. R. Fuller	146	170	205	1,146
J. E. Smith	203	171	172	
J. E. Nutsenzweig	183	181	181	1,145
C. E. Merz	194	181	170	
M. J. A. Gold	158	181	205	1,137
W. C. Waddell	158	158	205	
H. Gallmann	213	158	205	1,139
H. E. Reed	170	158	205	
H. O'Kelly	211	171	170	1,130
R. D. Jones	211	171	170	
W. A. Kern	181	171	170	1,102
H. E. Reed	170	171	170

"HARD-ON-THE-EYES" CLUB: Tattooing.

THE BIGGER THE BURG THE BIGGER THE BOOB

FAMOUS "COMEBACKS": "Well, It's My Turn to Buy."

PUT OFF BOUT FOR RING TITLE TILL MARCH 25

Rickard Moves Go When Tom Jones Wires of Willard's Illness.

BY KNOCKOUT.

Unless further complications develop, the Jess Willard-Frank Moran battle will be staged at Madison Square garden in New York on March 25. Promoter Tex Rickard in Gotham yesterday consented to postpone the bout, which was originally carded for March 8, and officially selected the new date.

Tom Jones, manager for the champion, got in from the east yesterday morning, and immediately hiked to Rogers Park to look over Willard personally. Jones was accompanied by Dave Lewinsohn, local representative of Rickard.

"Jess is in even worse condition than I expected," Jones said, on his return to the loop. "He has grip, a bad cold in the head, and his left lung is slightly affected. It will be a week or ten days before he will be able to do any sort of work. If he can get around in a week he will be doing better than I look for right now."

Rickard Reached by Phone.

After inspecting Willard Lewinsohn got in touch with Rickard at New York via phone, and Tex immediately agreed to postpone the bout. Previously he had picked March 25 as the substitute date, and unless something happens, the big fight will be put on at the garden on that date.

As soon as Willard can travel safely he will start for Gotham to train for the clash with the Pittsburgh battler. Jess will not attempt to do any heavy work in Chicago, but he may take a few easy workouts before leaving for the scene of battle.

Rickard holds a lease on Madison Square garden for the night of March 8. The rental is said to stand him $7,500, and if he cannot induce the management to shift his contract he may stage another boxing show to get back some of his coin.

Firm for Postponement.

Willard's ultimatum, "postponement or no fight," hastened Rickard into quick agreement to the change in plans for the bout. Apparently Lewinsohn in his long distance phone talk convinced Tex there wasn't a chance to get the big champion into a ring with Moran on March 8, for Rickard readily agreed to respect Willard's wishes in the matter. The condition of the champion is not such as to cause serious worry, but it would endanger his health to train now, and Jess does not want to take any chances of losing the big title and the coin that goes with it.

Jones asserts Willard has a theatrical contract calling for $5,000 a week, the engagement to start about March 22. The shift in the time of the Moran battle may cost the champion that easy money, for his circus contract goes into effect early in April.

MORAN REFUSES FORFEIT.

New York, Feb. 16.—[Special.]—Frank Moran, challenger for Jess Willard's heavyweight championship crown, arrived in this city from Saratoga early this morning. He came from upstate to learn officially from Rickard whether it would be necessary to postpone the match. Rickard, upon hearing from Tom Jones that Willard was really ill and unable to resume training for a week or ten days, informed Moran that the latter was justified by the articles to claim the $2,500 forfeit for appearance that Willard had posted. This the Pittsburgher refused to do.

"If Willard is really sick and unable to go on with the bout as scheduled March 8, I am satisfied with the two weeks' delay," said Moran. "I would not take advantage of a sick man, even if it meant the world's championship for me."

AD WOLGAST TO TRAIN HERE.

Cadillac, Mich., Feb. 16.—Ad Wolgast left today for Chicago, where he will complete his training for three battles he has scheduled during the next three weeks. On March 6 Ad will meet Champion Freddie Welsh in a ten round go at Milwaukee. Ad will draw down $2,500 and 35 per cent of the gate receipts for this scrap. Next Saturday the ex-title holder will meet Phil Brock at Cleveland.

STECHER HERE FOR BOUTS.

Joe Stecher, the latest wrestling marvel, arrived last night and will start training at the Chicago Athletic association for his two matches here. Tomorrow night he is booked to tackle two men, Louis Christenson and Ilias Govedarica, in finish matches at the Haymarket. On Feb. 23 at the Coliseum he will tackle some opponent still to be selected. William Demetral, who appears in the other half of the match tomorrow night with Victor Bufot, may wrestle a one fall match with Stecher as an added attraction.

SKATER MAY GO TO NORWAY.

Julian T. Fitzgerald, president of the Western Skating association, plans to send a Yankee skater to Norway to lift the scalp of Oscar Mathieson, world's amateur champion. Fitzgerald favors Bobby McLean for the job, but unless Mathieson will race for a side bet and thereby turn professional one of three amateur stars will be given the assignment. Robert Cody, Anton O'Sickey, or Lot Roe probably will make the trip if the Norwegian decides to remain a simon pure.

Fitzgerald is negotiating with A. E. Johnson of New York, Mathieson's American representative. No time for the match has been mentioned.

An ice skating marathon of the regulation distance, 26 miles 385 yards, will be held by the Northwest Skating club at Humboldt park on Feb. 26. Entries are expected from Minnesota and Wisconsin in addition to a big field of local ice speeders.

In the Wake of the News

By RING W. LARDNER

OFFICE SECRETS.

PART 3.

BETWEEN the Rodents' department and the society studio there is a line of trenches. To be admitted to the presence of the society editors one must wear a shave and carry a deck of calling cards. It is customary, but not compulsory, for visitors to bring flowers, or candy, or both, but

if only one be brought, let's have candy.

Before half past 3 in the afternoon, at which hour the society editor and his assistants reach the studio, their invitations for that night are brought in on two trucks. They are then arranged in a neat stack, and when the editor is ready the whist or the poker editor comes in and shuffles the cards. The society editor takes a first cut, and the invitation he cuts is the one he accepts. The assistants then cut in the order of their dancing ability. Hard feelings are often displayed, and occasionally two or three of the assistants come to blows over the result of the draw, but it is against the rules to trade.

The next studio, an enormous one, is occupied by the Sunday and Moving Picture departments. This is a scene of great activity on Saturday nights, when the artists and writers are at work on their assignments for the Sunday paper. A moving picture operator is constantly turning his crank, photographing the employes at their various tasks. He uses a dollar kodak and takes time exposures.

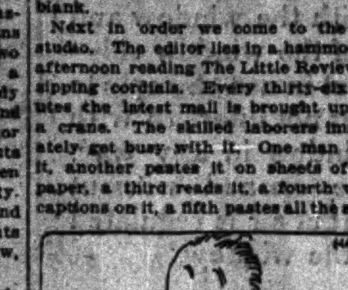
The social life in this suite is at its height in the afternoon. About 2 o'clock Frank Bushman, Molly Pickford, Chas. Chaplin, and other peaches drop in and take tea. The staff pours, assisted by Madame X., Madame Y., and Madame Z. After tea they all go to the theater on State street.

In this suite also are the beauty and love doctors. Many people suppose that their answers to queries are based on guesswork. Nothing could be further from the truth. If a girl writes in and wants to know how to turn her light hair dark the beauty doctor experiments until she has discovered a lotion that will accomplish the purpose on herself. She answers accordingly. Or, if a girl wants to know how to make a man love her, well, the love doctor simply goes and finds out.

In one corner of the suite is the Sunday moving picture department's desk, sometimes called the mint, because so many words are coined there.

The health adviser's studio is conducted with the same attention to detail and accuracy as is the rule with the love and beauty doctors. If a lady wants to know why Joseph isn't gaining, the health adviser calls up the baby and asks him point blank.

Next in order we come to the Line studio. The editor lies in a hammock all afternoon reading The Little Review and sipping cordials. Every thirty-six minutes the latest mail is brought up with a crane. The skilled laborers immediately get busy with it. One man opens it, another pastes it on sheets of copy paper, a third reads it, a fourth writes captions on it, a fifth pastes all the sheets



together, and a sixth hangs it on the wall, to be perused by the editor at his leisure. Occasionally he is seen to cease reading for a moment and to write a bit of poetry on his cuff. At 6 o'clock his help leaves, and at 7 he has thought of a last line and is through for the day.

In the We Will studio we find the editor interviewing a statistician or a murderer, taking notes, and heartily wishing that he could see a boxing match tonight.

(To be continued.)

"TRIBUNE" DECISIONS

At Windsor—Willie Gradwell beat Frankie Dailey (10).
At Hot Springs—Johnny Kilbane beat Johnny Creeley (10).

KILBANE BEATS YOUNG CREELEY IN 10 ROUND GO

Hot Springs, Ark., Feb. 16.—[Special.]—Featherweight Champion Johnny Kilbane increased his bank account several hundred dollars tonight in a ten round bout with Johnny Creeley of Cincinnati. The Clevelander had things all his own way.

Creeley appeared scared in the opening round and he landed only one good blow, a right swing, which, while it did no damage, sent Kilbane spinning backwards. The champion hit Creeley when and where he pleased, and there were times when Creeley could not hit Kilbane with a handful of shot.

Over 1,000 visitors enjoyed Kilbane's exhibition. In the last round Kilbane punished Creeley severely, but the Cincinnati boy stuck through to the end.

Abel to Fight Alberts.

Chattanooga, Tenn., Feb. 16.—[Special.]—Jake Abel, the Chattanooga lightweight, has signed to box Kid Alberts of Brooklyn in Savannah Friday night.

MURRAY AND WASHBURN WIN IN TENNIS TOURNEY.

New York, Feb. 16.—Victories of R. Lindley Murray of California and Watson M. Washburn, former Harvard star, by which they won places in the semi-final round of the national indoor tennis championship were the features of today's play. Each won in straight sets.

Murray wasted little time in lifting his game to its fastest pace against Dr. A. W. Waite, the Dublin university player, who recently won the Metropolitan indoor title. Washburn was compelled to exert himself against G. A. Walker Jr. Washburn and Murray are coupled for the semi-final round.

NOTES OF THE GOLFERS.

W. C. Pyle had low score in the third qualifying round for the C. E. Davis cup at Rothschild's yesterday, getting a card of 21—22—43. R. Beck was second with 26—20—46, J. M. Schoff getting 47, and H. E. Roelke 48. Kennedy had a one at the second hole.

Western Champion Charles Evans Jr. and E. Hoover Bankard, secretary of the Western Golf association, were among the winners in the first round of play in the western indoor putting championship tournament at the Golf Shop indoor school yesterday. Evans defeated George H. Lambert, the young Maywood player, 6 and 5, and Bankard won from O. J. Frances of Stockholm, Sweden, 1 up.

Francis M. Fox has been reelected president of the Lincoln Park Golf club, the other officers also being continued in office. Secretary Frank C. Helman reports that several improvements will be made at the north side course. These will include the erection of a shelter house, improved tees and putting greens, and the installation of tickets and registry system of starting. The Lincoln Park club will hold a series of weekly events.

OTHER BASKET RESULTS.

Hamlin Park Peewees defeated Wilson Avenue Grays, 13 to 10, at Hamlin park.

Hamlin Park Comets drubbed the Eckhart Park 85 pounders, 17 to 4, in the losers' gym.

The Training A. C. wants a game with a 125 pound team tonight. Phone J. Block, Wabash 3620 during day.

Wilson Avenue Dodgers trimmed St. Simon's church team, 23 to 22, at the church gymnasium.

Hamlin Park Outlaws want a game for Saturday night with team weighing 140 to 145 pounds. Will travel. Phone George, Wellington 1296, after 7 p. m.

The Dreadnaughts defeated the Armour Square 135 pound team, 22 to 12, at the former's gymnasium. The Dreadnaughts want games with 135 pound teams. Phone C. Keller, Yards 6603, between 5:30 and 6 p. m.

The First Baptist church team wants games for Friday nights with teams averaging 135 to 140 pounds, and having their own gymnasiums. Phone James Burrell, Douglas 5622, between 4 and 6 p. m.

After trailing, 14 to 3, at half time, the Diversey M. E. quintet turned on the Augusta gym quintet, winning, 18 to 14, on the losers' floor. The same five was held scoreless in the second half.

Wilson Avenue Quadrangles defeated the Seward Park Cavaliers in the latter's gymnasium, 44 to 26 last night, after being held to an 18 to 17 score at half time. Berry featured with eleven baskets.

Calvin Park basketball team won two games in their gymnasium last night. The heavyweight defeated the Armour Missions, 32 to 15, through the basket work of Buller, who shot seven ringers. The Midgets won from the Marshalls' Lions and Trot Ave. 15 to 5.

LEWIS FIVE WINS TITLE FROM LANE IN SCRAPPY TILT

Clinches Junior College Race by Beating Techs, 36-28; Englewood Takes Two.

BY OTTO A. ENGEL.

Lewis institute clinched the championship of the Chicago District Intercollegiate Basketball association yesterday, defeating Lane college, 36 to 28, in a contest which had all the marks of a college championship battle. The injection of a mysterious player and a near fist fight were two of the features.

Espey, or Nickols, as he is known when he plays with the West Side Browns, engaged in a wordy conflict with Blueitt, the colored player, who was making his debut with the tech quintet. Words led to blows and for a time it looked as if the spectators would take a hand. The authorities, however, got control of the situation and quelled the boisterous ones. Just why Nickols concealed his name is not known, but under the A. A. U. or A. A. F. rules he would be debarred from playing.

At half time Lane led, 16 to 15. Nickols and Palmer, with fourteen points each, featured the Lewis attack, while Blueitt made sixteen points for the losers. Lineup:

Lewis Institute [36].	B	F	P	T	Lane College [28].	B	F	P	T
Meyers, rf.	2	0	0	2	Blueitt, rf.	7	2	0	0
Palmer, lf.	7	0	0	0	Martin, lf.	3	0	0	1
Taylor, c.	2	0	1	0	Ericson, c.	3	0	0	0
Clarkson, rg.	0	0	0	0	Peterson, rg.	0	0	0	1
Madsen, lg.	0	0	1	0	Rolhman, lg.	0	0	2	0
Nickols, rg.	6	2	2	0	Wilson, rg.	0	0	0	0
Malloy, lg.	0	0	0	0	Stroemer, lg.	0	0	0	0

Six Prep League Tilts.

Six more games were played in the preliminary round in the Chicago High school basketball championship and by tomorrow night most of the semi-finalists will be known, unless there are ties for second places. Englewood heavyweights moved into runner up position in the southwestern section by defeating Parker, 15 to 12, after being held to a tie score, 7 all, at half time. Lineup:

Englewood [15].	B	F	P	T	Parker [12].	B	F	P	T
Joslyn, rf.	3	1	3	0	Taige, rf.	1	0	0	0
Bromsted, lf.	1	1	0	0	Bellfuss, lf.	2	1	3	0
Rosetto, c.	1	0	0	0	Vail, c.	2	1	0	0
Kopp, rg.	2	0	1	0	Pratt, rg.	0	0	2	0
Sayloe, lg.	0	0	1	0	Osterburg, lg.	0	0	3	0

Englewood Makes It Two.

Englewood lightweights clinched honors in the southwestern division, defeating Parker, 13 to 9, after being 8 to 5 to the good at intermission time. Pipher featured with seven points. Austin lightweights jumped into the western leadership by taking their final game from Crane, 16 to 12. Bradley put his team in the running with nine points. Senn 130 pounders made it three straight in the northern section, defeating Schurz, 15 to 7, after being held 8 to 4 at half time. Bailey featured with four baskets. Lineups:

LIGHTWEIGHTS.

Englewood [13].	B	F	P	T	Parker [9].	B	F	P	T
Rad'augh, rf.	0	0	0	0	Ryan, rf.	1	0	0	0
Pipher, lf.	2	3	3	2	Meyers, lf.	1	3	2	0
Michaels, c.	2	0	0	0	Thompson, c.	0	0	1	0
Cohan, rg.	1	0	4	0	Kindred, rg.	1	0	0	0
Bell, lg.	0	0	0	0	Merriman, lg.	0	0	2	0
Malmq'st, rg.	0	0	0	0					
Baph'sah, lg.	0	0	0	0					
Spence, rf.	0	0	0	0					

Austin [16].	B	F	P	T	Crane [12].	B	F	P	T
Bradley, rf.	2	5	1	0	Miller, rf.	3	4	1	1
Brownson, lf.	2	1	0	0	Sklancy, lf.	1	0	1	0
Erny, c.	0	0	2	0	Kasinski, c.	0	0	3	0
Meredith, rg.	0	1	4	0	Bernstein, rg.	0	0	1	0
Peterson, lg.	0	0	0	0	Geiser, lg.	0	0	1	0
Beach, rg.	0	0	0	0					

Senn [15].	B	F	P	T	Schurz [7].	B	F	P	T
Nolle, rf.	2	0	1	0	Neth, rf.	1	0	0	0
Mack, lf.	2	0	1	0	Ranaldi, lf.	1	0	0	0
Bailey, c.	4	0	1	0	Lor, c.	0	0	0	0
Maloney, rg.	0	0	1	0	Thorn, rg.	1	0	0	0
Wyman, lg.	0	0	1	0	D. An'son, lg.	0	1	1	0
Sutphen, lf.	0	1	1	1	H. An'son, lg.	0	0	0	0

Crane Bantams Victors.

Crane bantams clinched second honors in the western division, winning from Austin, 15 to 9, through the star work of Carter, who made eleven points. Crane led, 11 to 6, at the end of the first half. Schurz Midgets defeated Senn by the silver standard score of 16 to 1. Cold made ten points for the winners. Lineups:

Crane [15].	B	F	P	T	Austin [9].	B	F	P	T
Carter, rf.	5	1	2		Collins, rf.	1	0	0	1
Goldman, lf.	0	0	1		Aldworth, lf.	0	3	2	0
Weitzman, c.	2	1	1		Fury, c.	1	0	0	0
Marcus'n, rg.	0	0	1		Lasken, rg.	1	0	0	0
Rudd, lg.	0	0	0	0	Kellen, lg.	0	0	3	0

Schurz [16].	B	F	P	T	Senn [1].	B	F	P	T
Branower, rf.	1	0	0	0	Walsh, rf.	0	1	0	2
Cold, lf.	4	2	0	0	Nagle, lf.	0	0	0	2
Weeds, c.	3	0	0	0	Ritchie, c.	0	0	2	0
Hudson, rg.	0	0	6	0	Erzinger, rg.	0	0	1	0
Christian, lg.	0	0	3	0	Price, lg.	0	0	0	0
					Hinners, lf.	0	0	2	0
					Allan, lg.	0	0	0	0
					Richard'n, rf.	0	0	1	0

Harrison lightweights failed to appear for their game at Marshall, and the latter was awarded the contest.

MORGAN PARK CADETS TRIM U. HIGH IN HARD CONTEST.

Morgan Park academy, after being held to a 21 to 20 score at half time, opened a fierce assault in the second period by injecting substitutes, and defeated University High, 44 to 31, on the cadets' floor. Tetzlaff made eighteen points for the winners and Florsheim fifteen for the losers. Lineup:

U. High [31].	B	F	P	T	Morgan Park [44].	B	F	P	T
Florsh'm, rf.	4	7	2	0	Banks, rf.	2	0	1	0
Blake, lf.	3	0	1	0	Tetzlaff, lf.	7	4	1	0
McKay, c.	1	0	1	0	Baker, c.	3	0	2	0
Weber, rg.	1	0	1	0	Harvey, rg.	0	0	3	1
Harris, lg.	0	0	3	1	Wagner, lg.	0	0	0	0
Borles, rf.	1	0	0	0	Fryer, lg.	0	0	0	0
Stearns, c.	0	0	0	0	Hanson, rg.	2	0	0	0
Frazier, lg.	0	0	0	0	Norriott, c.	0	0	0	0
					Moore, lf.	0	0	0	0
					Wals, rf.	3	0	0	0

NORMAL PARKS WIN, 42-11.

Normal park's 125 pound five buried the Bessemer lightweights in the losers' gym last night, 42 to 11. Every visiting player broke into the point column, V. Osborne leading the attack with six ringers. Lineup:

Normal Park [42].	B	F	P	T	Bessemer [11].	B	F	P	T
Bannon, rf.	5	0	0	0	Fair, rf.	2	1	0	0
Bergstedt, lf.	4	0	0	0	Hawkins, lf.	0	0	0	0
Osborne, c.	0	0	0	0	Sparne, c.	1	0	0	0
V. O'orne, rg.	6	0	0	0	Wilson, rg.	0	0	2	1
Lockwood, lg.	2	0	0	0	Sirdgen, lg.	2	1	0	0
Hoffman, rg.	4	0	1	0					

VICTORY FOR SEWARD PARK.

Seward Park Meteors handed the South Chicagos a 26 to 10 trimming at Seward gymnasium last night. Johnson tossed six ringers for the winners. Lineup:

Meteors [26].	B	F	P	T	South Chicagos [10].	B	F	P	T
Johnson, rf.	6	0	0	0	White, rf.	0	0	0	0
Watson, lf.	4	0	1	0	Bender, lf.	0	0	0	0
Quinn, c.	1	0	1	0	Deveney, c.	3	0	0	0
Salvatore, rg.	2	0	1	0	Reis, rg.	0	0	1	1
Triskman, lg.	0	0	1	0	Seidy, lg.	0	0	0	0

Easy for St. Jarlath's Seconds.

St. Jarlath's second team defeated the Central Turner Blues, 48 to 6, at St. Jarlath's gymnasium. Lineup:

St. Jarlath's II. [48].	B	F	P	T	Cen. Turner Blues [6].	B	F	P	T
Shelley, rf.	3	0	1	0	F. H'dlen, rf.	1	0	1	0
Condren, lf.	8	0	0	0	W. H'dlen, lf.	0	0	1	0
Hurley, c.	3	0	1	0	Harnichel, c.	1	0	1	0
Hayes, rg.	2	0	1	0	W'dman, rg.	0	0	0	0
Hanrahan, lg.	3	0	1	0	Lindstrom, lg.	0	0	0	0
Bell, rg.	1	0	0	0	Loewe, c.	0	1	0	0

PURPLE BASKET FIVE LANDS VICTORY OVER MAROON TEAM, 28-20

Conference Standing.

	W.	L.	Pct.		W.	L.	Pct.
Northwest'n	6	1	.857	Indiana	1	2	.333
Wisconsin	5	1	.833	Ohio	2	4	.333
Illinois	4	1	.800	Chicago	1	6	.143
Iowa	3	3	.500	Purdue	1	6	.143
Minnesota	3	3	.500				

BY EVAN STONE.

Northwestern took a firmer grip on first place in the Big Nine basketball race last night by defeating Chicago in Patten gymnasium, 28 to 20. It was the second time this season the Purple beat the Maroons, and it was done before 1,000 fans.

Whittle, former captain of the Purple, was the chief scorer for his team, while Chicago profited most by the accurate free throws of Schafer.

Chicago led for a few minutes in the early part of the game, but was soon overtaken and never got to the front again. Kincaid was knocked out by a head-on collision with Parker, and Ellis took his place. Norgren went in late in the game, and the Maroons showed new life, but the awakening was too late. Lineup:

Northwestern [28].	B	F	P	T	Chicago [20].	B	F	P	T
Underhill, rf.	4	2	1		Parker, rf.	2	0	5	0
Kincaid, lf.	2	1	1		Schaefer, lf.	1	8	2	0
Ellis, lf.	0	1	1	0	Norgren, rf.	0	0	0	0
Whittle, c.	5	0	3	1	Townley, c.	0	0	0	0
Patterson, rg.	0	0	0	0	George, rg.	2	0	1	1
Driscoll, lg.	1	0	0	0	Rothermel, lg.	0	0	0	0

Referee—Birch [Earlham]. Umpire—Woolston [Illinois].

22 STRAIGHT FOR I. A. C. QUINTET

Illinois Athletic club sharpshooters made it twenty-two straight by defeating the Seward Park blues, 39 to 18, in the victors' gymnasium last night. At the intermission the I. A. C. led, 17 to 6. Feeney led in scoring with fifteen points, followed by Frieling, who made five baskets and A. Pressler with four. Trost starred for the losers, making eight points. Lineup:

I. A. C. [39].	B	F	P	T	S. P. Blues [18].	B	F	P	T
Frieling, rf.	5	0	0	2	Trost, rf.	3	2	0	3
A. Pressler, lf.	4	0	0	0	Nickell, lf.	0	0	0	0
Feeney, c.	5	5	0	1	Bauer, c.	0	0	0	0
Cochrane, rg.	2	0	0	0	Duffy, rg.	1	0	0	1
W. Pressler, lg.	0	0	0	1	Larson, lg.	1	0	0	2
Kohfeldt, lf.	1	0	0	0	Churchill, c.	2	0	1	2
					Sachs, lf.	0	0	0	0

BROWNS DEFEAT SINAIS AFTER TIGHT FIRST HALF.

West Side Browns won a fast contest from Sinai Social Center heavies at the latter's gymnasium last night, 26 to 14, after leading, 13 to 12, at half time. Lineup:

Sinai Social [14].	B	F	P	T	W. S. Browns [26].	B	F	P	T
Meyers, rf.	2	1	0	0	Nikolas, rf.	4	0	0	0
Fisch, lf.	1	0	0	0	Clegg, lf.	0	0	3	0
Korrop, c.	2	0	0	0	M. Butsow, c.	3	0	0	0
Levy, rg.	0	0	2	0	Mend'son, rg.	1	0	1	0
Catherine, lg.	0	0	2	0	E. Butsow, lg.	0	4	0	0
Simons, rf.	0	0	2	0	Martin, c.	0	0	0	1
Winters, c.	1	0	0	0					

EXMOORS TOPPLE HAMLINS.

The Exmoors, unlimited weight champions of the A. A. F., defeated the Hamlin Park Triangles, 26 to 16, at Hamlin Park. The winners led, 18 to 10, at half time. Lineup:

Exmoor [26].	B	F	P	T	Ham. Triangles [16].	B	F	P	T
Flinn, rf.	2	0	0	0	Jessey, rf.	2	2	0	0
H. Bow'd, lf.	2	4	0	0	Schnabel, lf.	1	0	1	0
E. Bow'd, c.	3	0	1	0	Smith, c.	2	0	2	0
Huth, rg.	1	0	2	0	Trittin, rg.	1	0	1	0
Carlson, lg.	0	0	0	0	Michaels, lg.	0	0	0	0
Ahlrum, lg.	0	0	0	0	DeCaluwe, lg.	0	0	0	0
Breedl't, lg.	1	0	0	0	Johnson, lf.	0	0	0	0

RUNS FIVE MILES IN GAME.

Referee Frank Birch, former Earlham college athlete, was curious to see how far he would travel in one evening's officiating, so he donned a pedometer before the Northwestern-Chicago basketball game at Patten gym last night. After strenuous twenty minute halves he found he had covered more than five miles following the ball back and forth over the seventy foot floor.

Lawson, 17; Avers, 12.

The Lawson team, 100 pound champions of the Austin Sunday School league, defeated the Avers Clippers of Irving Park, 17 to 12, at Irving Park.

LOANS $350,000 TO CATHOLICS

Massachusetts Mutual Co. Makes Deal with Society of Priests.

AT FIVE PER CENT RATE

A loan of $350,000 on outside property at 5 per cent, a transaction in South Wabash avenue with a reported consideration of $110,000, and two particularly interesting transactions in high grade north side residence property were the most important features in a real estate market way yesterday.

The loan was made by the Massachusetts Mutual Life Insurance company to the Society of Priests of the Congregation of the Mission of Chicago and is secured by the De Paul university property, at the northwest corner of Webster and Sheffield avenues, 264x598 feet, and other property. The loan, which runs for eleven years, is a refunding loan.

Wabash Avenue Deal.

The Wabash avenue transaction involves the sale by William T. Hall to Mrs. Clara Bartholomay of the property at 1125-27 South Wabash, lot 40x176 feet, with old improvements, which are said to have been given no value in the transaction. The property was conveyed for a reported consideration of $110,000, subject to an incumbrance of $60,000. In exchange for the equity Mrs. Bartholomay conveyed the high grade residence property at 3414-16 South Michigan avenue, lot 50x175 feet, with three story stone dwelling, which was conveyed for an indicated consideration of $50,000. Mrs. Bartholomay took back a lease of the residence property. White & Tabor represented Mrs. Bartholomay in the transaction and Thomas A. Hall & Co. represented Mr. Hall.

The north side residence deals, which were negotiated by Paul Steinbrecher & Co., were of special interest because the properties are residential landmarks in that exclusive residential district. They comprise the two Sherman houses at 1433-35 North State parkway, the latter being sold by Frederick S. Sherman to Frederick P. Hanson, a board of trade man, for an indicated consideration of $22,000. The house is a four story stone front structure containing twelve rooms and is on a lot 21x132 feet.

Sold by Sherman Estate.

The property at 1433, both being between Burton place and Schiller street, was sold by the estate of S. S. Sherman, father of Frederick S. Sherman, to Lawrence M. Viles, secretary and treasurer of the Buda company, manufacturers of automobile motors, for a reported consideration of $21,500, making a total of $43,500 for the two properties. The house is also a four story stone front structure containing twelve rooms and is on a lot 24x132 feet.

The filing for record of the purchase by Mrs. Clara J. Rehm, wife of William Rehm, of the vacant 40x110 feet in Astor street, 285 feet south of North Avenue boulevard, indicates that the consideration was $42,000, according to the revenue stamps on the deed, which is at the rate of $1,050 a front foot. The Rehms will improve with a handsome residence.

Flat Changes Hands.

The apartment house property with 50x150 feet of ground, east front, in Kenwood avenue, 150 feet north of Sixty-fourth street, has been sold by Mary A. Barrett to John J. Comer for an indicated consideration of $33,000, subject to an incumbrance of $22,000.

Record was made of the assignment of the leasehold interest in the 100x150 feet at the southwest corner of Harper avenue and Fifty-fifth street and the store, office, and flat building thereon by John Rafakes to Nick Karson, Nick Stathopolus, Rose and Harry Rosenshield; also of the leasehold estate in the 150x150 feet at the southeast corner of Fifty-fifth street and Blackstone avenue, with store and flat and office improvements, a nominal consideration being given in the transfer.

Woodlawn Transaction.

The apartment house property at the southeast corner of Kimbark avenue and Sixty-fifth street, with 50x165 feet of ground, has been sold by Edward S. Moore to Charles Davis for an expressed consideration of $26,000, subject to an incumbrance of $11,454.

H. F. Holder has sold to Lloyd H. Taylor the apartment house property in South Park avenue, 206 feet east of Sixty-second street, lot 50x124 feet, for an indicated consideration of $22,000, subject to an incumbrance of $12,000.

The property at the northwest corner of Wabash avenue and Sixty-first street, 198x232 feet, has been sold by Frederick H. Bartlett to Harry C. Vernon for an expressed consideration of $15,000.

Edgewater Avenue Deal.

Erwin D. Rose has purchased from Marie Mork the property in Edgewater avenue, 436 feet east of North Clark street, lot 50x114 feet, south front, for an indicated consideration of $25,000, subject to an incumbrance of $19,000.

Floyd E. Miller has purchased from Emma Bloomgren the vacant property in Rogers Park at 1465 Fargo avenue, between Sheridan road and Greenview avenue, for a reported consideration of $8,000. Mr. Miller will improve with a high grade three apartment building to cost about $30,000. The apartments will have eight rooms and sun parlors and will rent at $150 a month.

Record was made of the sale by A. T. Galt to Joseph J. White of the property in Glenwood avenue, 141 feet south of Arthur avenue, 298x121 feet, west front, for an indicated consideration of $22,387.

Edgewater Trade.

Dorthea Nissen has conveyed to Christine Nordseth the property at 5410-12 Winthrop avenue, lot 50x150 feet, east front, with flat improvements, for an indicated consideration of $20,000, subject to an incumbrance of $10,000.

The property in Maryland avenue, 168 feet north of Fifty-seventh street, lot 40x106 feet, west front, with flat improvements, has been sold by J. T. Bright to Henry Leits for an indicated consideration of $30,500, subject to $12,500.

Former Gov. Charles S. Deneen will be the speaker at today's weekly luncheon of the Chicago real estate board.

The property at the southwest corner of Western avenue and Powell park, lot 75x125 feet, has been conveyed by Celia Stepner to William H. Webster for an indicated consideration of $34,500, subject to an incumbrance of $20,000.

Real Estate Transfers.

ROGERS PARK.

Albion-av., 217 w of Sheridan-road, s f, 50x150, rev stamp $5, Feb. 3 [Wm. Ternan to Wm. McIlvain] ... $10
Ashland-av., N., 175 s of Sheridan-terrace, e f, 81x130, rev stamp $4.50, Feb. 2 [Anna E. Hayes to Joseph J. Verplank] ... 4,185
Ashland-av., N., 325 n of Howard-st., e f, 64x120, rev stamp $9, Feb. 3 [Wm. Hoase to Joseph J. Verplank et al.] ... 8,940
Glenwood-av., 141 s of Arthur, w f, 298x121, rev stamp $6, p m notes $15,790, Feb. 8 [A. T. Galt to Joseph J. White] ... 22,387
Lunt-av., 48 e of N. California, s f, 50x125, July 22, 1913 [A. D. Birdsall to H. B. Bartelson] ... 1

LAKE VIEW.

Addison-st., 48 e of N. Leavitt, s f, 24x125, rev stamp $2, incumb $1,300, July 3 [Wm. Tempel to Joseph N. Seng] ... 1
Broadway, 190 n of Balmoral-av., w f, 50x200, rev stamp $13, Feb. 7 [Elizabeth Weber to Amalia A. Thready] ... 10
Claremont-av., N., 199 n of Belle Plaine, w f, 25x124, rev stamp $1, incumb $1,600, Feb. 14 [Emil Zirzow to Ferdinand L. Schultz] ... 10
Edgewater-av., 436 e of N. Clark-st., s f, 50x114, rev stamp $6, incumb $19,000, Feb. 14 [Marie Mark to Erwin D. Rose] ... 10
Sinsdale-av., 125 e of Glenwood, s f, 25x125, rev stamp $7.50, incumb $5,000, Feb. 15 [Francis McDermott to Ernest W. Shiffer et al.] ... 10
Glenwood-av., 50 s of Rascher, e f, 31.65x122, rev stamp $4.50, incumb $7,000, Feb. 14 [William Pickel to Edward Messinger] ... 10
N. Hermitage-av., s w cor Lawrence, e f, 64x163, rev stamp $3, incumb $8,000, Feb. 14 [Sarah J. Ashton to Fred W. Bothman] ... 10
Lake View-av., n w cor Wrightwood, e f, 42x205, rev stamp $17, Feb. 1 [Estate Arthur Ryerson to Carl D. Mats] ... 17,000
Same ppty, Feb. 2 [Carl D. Mats quitclaims to Emily B. Ryerson] ... 1
Montana-st., 136 e of Racine-av., s f, 24x114, rev stamp $1.50, Jan. 29 [Frieda England quitclaims to Johanne Loewe] ... 1
5410-12 Winthrop-av., e f, 50x150, 90 ft n of Balmoral, rev stamp $10, incumb $10,000, Jan. 25 [Dorthea Nissen to Christine N. Edseth] ... 10

JEFFERSON.

W. Ainslie-st., 200 w of Menard-av., n f, 50x225, rev stamp 50c, incumb $1,000, Feb. 1 [Michael Skretney to Felix Stoelk] ... 1,175
N. Albany-av., n e cor Ardmore, w f, 58x124, and o p, rev stamp 50c, Feb. 14 [George M. Jensen and 1-3 int to Cora Jensen et al.] ... 1
Bernard-av., 445 s of W. Foster, e f, 30x125, rev stamp $2, Feb. 14 [E. D. Ries to Marie Ruzek] ... 10
Blaine-pl., s e cor N. Albany-av., n f, 140x124, rev stamp $5, Feb. 8 [W. J. Kohn to Albert L. Mutley] ... 10
Crawford-av., n w cor W. Eddy-st., e f, 52x120, rev stamp $2.50, Jan. 28 [Christ Schuknecht to Rudolf Ferdinand] ... 10
Cuyler-av., W., s w cor Lamon, n f, 60x125, and o p, rev stamp $3, total incumb on 2 parcels $82,500, Feb. 15 [S. Montgomery Smith to Herbert J. Moore und 1-6 int.] ... 3,000
Central Park-av., N., s e cor W. Bernard, w f, 48 72-100x125, rev stamp $2.50, Feb. 10 [John Freding et al. by m in c, to Rebecca Goldberg] ... 2,261
Dickens-av., n e cor Crawford, s f, 50x125, rev stamp $5, Feb. 14 [Abraham Sigel to Harry Silverman et al.] ... 10
Eddy-st., W., 150 e of La Vergne-av., n f, 75x102, rev stamp $2, Feb. 14 [W. E. Gogolinski to Frank Sutkus] ... 10
Harding-av., N., 230½ s of W. George-st., w f, 24x131, rev stamp $2, Feb. 1 [Minnie M. Kratz to Wm. N. Rusch et al.] ... 1,800
Kimball-av., N., 338 s of Montrose-av., e f, 25x125, rev stamp $1, Jan. 1 [Helga Dagmar to John W. Anderson] ... 1
Monticello-av., N., 59 n of W. Ainslie-st., w f, 30x125, rev stamp $1, incumb $3,000, Feb. 11 [C. M. L. Dahlquist et al to John E. Frisen] ... 10
Milwaukee-av., n e cor Kenneth, s w f, 300x150, rev stamp $10.50, Feb. 4 [Emil Jenisch to Hattie O. Jensen] ... 10,500
Milwaukee-av., n e cor Kenneth, s w f, 300x150, rev stamp $5, Feb. 4 [O. C. Sherman to Emil Jenisch] ... 10
Natoma-av., 119 n of W. George-st., e f, 119x125, rev stamp 50c, Jan. 24 [C. T. & T. Co., tr, to Casper Strom] ... 1
Palmer-av., s e cor Lawndale, n f, 34 9-10x125.87, rev stamp $5, incumb $5,000, Feb. 14 [Christian Unrath to Paul Rommel] ... 10
St. Louis-av., 150 n of W. Ainslie-st., w f, 60x125, Jan. 29 [C. T. & T. Co., tr, to Walter G. Batcher] ... 10
Troy-st., 171 n of W. Montrose-av., w f, 30x126, rev stamp $2, incumb $4,000, Feb. 15 [E. M. Solon to Theo. F. Wagoner] ... 10
Wisner-av., 304 n e of Milwaukee, n w f, 25x125, rev stamp $1.50, incumb $1,600, Feb. 8 [Wolf Wheeler to Jacob Herchenroeder] ... 10
Wrightwood-av., W., 84 e of Nordica, s f, 50x129, rev stamp 50c, Jan. 25 [Mary A. Seaton to Burton S. Gale] ... 1

NORTH TOWN.

Astor-st., 285 s of North-av.-blvd., w f, 40x110, rev stamp $42, Feb. 5 [H. N. Rose to Clara J. Rehm] ... 42,000
Larrabee-st., 50 n of Elm, e f, 25x180, rev stamp $2, sub to two trust deeds, Jan. 27 [H. S. Holmberg to John K. Kowalski] ... 10
Maud-av., bet Seminary and Racine, s w f, 25 ft to alley, rev stamp $3, Feb. 11 [Julia Lorenz et al to Arthur Lorenz] ... 10
Same ppty, rev stamp $3, Feb. 11 [Arthur Lorenz to Julia Lorenz et al] ... 10
Rawson-st., 50 e of Wright, s w f, 50x115, and o p, rev stamp $5.50, Jan. 13 [Mary Bar to Ludwik Stankiewicz] ... 10

SOUTH TOWN.

Armour-av., 141 s of 36th-st., w f, 24x124 m or l, rev stamp 50c, incumb $2,000, Jan. 25 [John Hughes to Walter N. Thomas et al] ... 1
Bonaparte-st., 24 w of Arch, n f, 27x115, rev stamp $3, Feb. 12 [Herman Nikoley to Emil Wendlandt] ... 2,300
Hermitage-av., 250 n of 37th-st., e f, 24x125, rev stamp $5.50, Jan. 14 [Antonina Paluch to Joseph Sobik] ... 6,200
Hillock-st., 203 s w of Throop, s e f, 25 ft to alley, rev stamp 50c, Jan. 25 [W. H. Gardner et al quitclaim to Louis Podolsky] ... 1
Lyman-st., 69 w of Bonfield, s e f, 25x180, Feb. 14 [J. S. Gage quitclaims to Wilhelm Monert] ... 175
Morgan-st., S., 3262, e f, 25x124, Feb. 15 [Peter Burbeike to Aleksandra Burneika] ... 10
Rhodes-av., 171 s of 35th-st., e f, 40x125, m or less, rev stamp $8.00, incumb $8,000, Dec. 1 [Central Trust Co. of Illinois to James S. Nelson] ... 14,000
Union-av., s e cor of 38th-st., n f, 48x128, rev stamp $2.50, incumb $7,650, Feb. 14 [Johanna Hinkamp to Joseph Janczinski] ... 10

HYDE PARK.

Blackstone-av., 19 s of E. 50th-st., s f, 19x100, rev stamp $2.00, incumb $2,500, Jan. 10 [Susie M. Frazier to Zella M. Hagans] ... 1
Dorchester-av., 5833-35, w f, 50x150, rev stamp 50c, incumb $5,500, Feb. 3 [F. H. Bartlett to Gertrude Scholl] ... 10
40th-st., E., 556-606, s f, 160 to r r, 450 E. of Vincennes-av., rev stamp $10.00, incumb $8,000, Feb. 1 [G. A. Gunggoll to Lewis M. Smith et al.] ... 1
51st-st., E., bet Forrestville and Vincennes-avs., s f, 160 to E. 50th-pl., rev stamp $7.50, Feb. 4 [Kate W. Babcock und 1-2 int to Chicago Home for the Friendless] ... 7,500
51st-st., E., bet Forrestville and Vincennes-avs., s f, 160 to E. 50th-pl., rev stamp $7.50, Feb. 5 [C. E. Babcock to Same] ... 7,500
Same ppty, rev stamp $7.50, Feb. 11 [Chicago Title & Trust Co., tr, for J. W. Babcock, deceased, to Same] ... 7,500
Harper-av., s w cor of E. 55th-st., e f, 100x150; Blackstone-av., s e cor of E. 55th-st., n f, 150x150, leasehold est Dec. 1 [John Rafakes to Nick Karson et al.] ... 10
Kimbark-av., s e cor of E. 65th-st., extended, w f, 50x165, rev stamp $15.00, incumb $11,454, March 29 [Edward S. Moore et al. to Charles W. Davis] ... 26,000
Lake Park-av., s w cor E. 54th-st., e f, 171x150, rev stamp $2, incumb $4,000, Feb. 14 [M. Edith Deming to Louise E. Harroun] ... 1
South Park-av., 206 e of E. 62d-st., w f, 50x124, rev stamp $2.50, incumb $12,000, Feb. 14 [L. H. Taylor und 1-3 int to Adolph G. Gedalia] ... 10
South Park-av., 206 s of E. 62d-st., w f, 50x124, rev stamp $10, incumb $12,000, Feb. 14 [H. F. Holder to Lloyd H. Taylor] ... 10
Wabash-av., S., n w cor 61st-st., e f, 198x232, rev stamp $15, Feb. 7 [F. H. Bartlett to Harvey C. Vernon] ... 10
Crandon-av., n w cor 82d-st., e f, 94x125, rev stamp $1, Feb. 8 [Fred Person to Mary Greenes] ... 10
Eberhart-av., 147 n of 67th-st., w f, 28x123, rev stamp $2, incumb $750, Feb. 14 [Jacob Goldberg to Herman Brown] ... 10
Euclid-av., n w cor E. 76th-st., extended, e f, 100x124, rev stamp $18, incumb $10,000, pur mon mtg $7,000, Feb. 11 [S. C. Britton to Mary S. Brittigan] ... 1,000
Indiana-av., 40 s of 74th-st., e f, 30x160, rev stamp $1, Feb. 14 [G. W. Cummings to Andrew McDonagh] ... 700
Kenwood-av., 150 n of 64th-st., e f, 50x150, rev stamp $11, incumb $2,200, Feb. 14 [Mary A. Barrett to John J. Comer] ... 70
Luella-av., 162 n of 78th-st., e f, 50x125, rev stamp $1.50, Jan. 5 [Ethel N. Sanders et al to Lillian R. Bommers] ... 1,200
58th-st., s e cor Rhodes-av., n f, 22 ft to alley, rev stamp $1.50, Feb. 11 [L. H. Maenke et al., by m in c, to Alice Calnan] ... 1,425

CALUMET.

Michigan-av., 313 w of Wentworth-av., s f, 27x125, rev stamp $1, incumb $300, Feb. 3 [John Simon to Gerrit Termaat] ... 1,700
Princeton-av., 326 s of W. 116th-st., e f, 25x125, rev stamp $1, incumb $1,500, Feb. 8 [Henry D. De Cook to Anton Kaminsky] ... 2,000
State-st., S., 41 s of 154th-pl., e f, 31x126, rev stamp $1, Feb. 1 [L. C. Harmon to Adelbert M. Reedard] ... 600

LAKE.

S. Carpenter-st., 241 s of W. 59th, w f, 25x124, rev stamp 50c, Feb. 1 [C. H. Raymond to David D. Chisholm] ... 1
W. 59th-pl., 150 e of Halsted-st., s f, [illegible]
18x125, rev stamp $2.50, Feb. 7 [Anna Burke to Rose H. Fisher] ... 2,500
S. Halsted-st., 150 s of W. 68th, w f, 50x115, leasehold est and bldg, Feb. 14 [Harry R. Phillips to Olina Weiss] ... 10
S. Halsted-st., n w cor W. 75th-st., e f, 100x124, rev stamp $1, incumb $2,080, Nov. 1 [C. A. Schlorff to Christina D. Stegg] ... 10
Harvard-av., 150 n of W. 75th-st., w f, 50x127, rev stamp $5, Jan. 31 [Amelia Sturgeon and ½ int to Ada M. Baker] ... 5,000
Harvard-av., 150 n of W. 75th-st., w f, 50x127, rev stamp $5, Jan. 31 [H. M. Diller and ½ int. to Ada M. Baker] ... 5,000
Justine-av., 225 s of W. 57th-st., w f, 25x124, rev stamp $1, incumb $1,500, Jan. 3 [Mary Schomer to John A. Ward] ... 2,500
60th-pl., W., 190 e of Normal-av., s f, 30x120, rev stamp $1, Feb. 9 [Eliza J. Sage to Robt. W. McKinlay] ... 1,000
69th-st., W., s w cor Spaulding-av., n f, 50x124, incumb $500, rev stamp $1, Dec. 27 [George W. Calkins to John A. Anderson] ... 1,250
Rockwell-st., S., 258 s of W. 59th, w f, 25x125, incumb $600, rev stamp $1.50, Feb. 2 [John Kastenas to George Sereyka] ... 2,000
87th-st., W., n w cor Bishop, s f, 37x125, incumb $1,000, rev stamp 50c, Feb. 3 [Chicago Title and Trust company, tr, to Eliana T. Davis] ... 1,500
63d-st., W., n w cor S. 42d-ct., s f, 24x125, rev stamp $1, Feb. 1 [State Bank of Chicago to Jos. H. Roth] ... 10
48d-st., W., s e cor Maplewood-av., n f, 78x110, rev stamp $1.50, Jan. 28 [W. G. McIntosh to Catherine M. Harris] ... 1,000
Grove-av., 132 n of W. 65th-st., e f, 30x146, rev stamp $1, Feb. 11 [Rosie Plavnik et al to Clemens L. Wroblewski] ... 10
Ashland-av., S., 143 s of W. 70th-st., w f, 25x121, rev stamp $2.50, incumb $1,500, Feb. 15 [F. G. Baldwin to John Olson] ... 2,300
Peoria-st., S., 113 n of W. 59th, w f, 37x125, rev stamp 50c, Feb. 10 [Mary A. Rogers to Wilbert B. Chapman] ... 2,000
Lafiin-st., 241 s of W. 69th, e f, 50x124, Feb. 11 [John Campbell to John H. Campbell] ... 10
Morgan-st., 56 n of 64th, e f, 24x124, Aug. 19, 1912 [Julia McDermott to Frances Godfrey] ... 1
Morgan-st., 56 n of 64th, e f, 24x124, Aug. 19, 1912 [Frances Godfrey to Wm. McDermott et al] ... 1
Winchester-av., 27 n of W. 60th-st., w f, 25x125, rev stamp $1.50, incumb $1,500, Jan. 20 [L. W. Eby to Atherton B. Little] ... 10
Irving-av., S., 240 n of W. 64th-st., e f, 50x125, rev stamp $1.50, incumb $1,300, Feb. 14 [F. E. Webster to John Bain et al] ... 1
Racine-av., S., 341 s of W. 59th-st., w f, 25x124, incumb $1,530, Feb. 4 [Esther Zelenkey to Fanny Schwartz] ... 10
63d-st., W., bet Wallace-st. and Normal-av., s f, 45x125, rev stamp $6, incumb $6,000, Feb. 15 [Adelia M. Ballou to Samuel E. Silverman] ... 10
Emerald-av., 75 s of 58th-st., e f, 25x120, rev stamp $3, incumb $2,500, Feb. 11 [Minnie T. Jeffery to Clarence E. Swift] ... 3,500
43d-st., W., 300 w of Normal-av., s f, 25x125, rev stamp $1, Feb. 8 [Anna Cherlin to Olga Gofrighter] ... 10

WEST TOWN.

Armitage-av., n w cor Stave-st., s f, 50x104, rev stamp $1, p m m $2,000, Feb. 16 [Wilhelmine Hagerman to Charles E. Opdahl] ... 10
Congress-st., 285 n of Lockwood-av., s f, 29x124, rev stamp $4, Jan. 5 [W. A. Barendt to Patrick F. Cunningham et al.] ... 10
Cortez-st., 275 e of Kilbourn-av., s f, 50x123, April 20 [P. E. McGuire to Mary McGuire] ... 1
Diversey-av., 101 e of N. Whipple-st., n f, 25x100, rev stamp $2.50, Feb. 2 [Morris Rifkin to Simon Myerson] ... 10
Haddon-av., n e cor Pine, s f, 40x125, rev stamp 50c, Jan. 31 [Julia G. McC. Dayton to Joseph Wassell] ... 1
Holt-st., s w cor Clarinda, e f, 24x130, rev stamp $1, incumb $1,500, Feb. 10 [Stanislaus Bobak to Josef Bartozak] ... 10
Humboldt-blvd., 216 n of W. North-av., e f, 37x125, and o p, rev stamp $5, incumb $3,000, Feb. 4 [Hattie O. Jensen to John Steuve] ... 10
Kamerling-av., 339 w of Kildare, n f, 24x124, Jan. 25 [F. J. Makovsky to Rose Vanerka] ... 1
Same ppty, Jan. 25 [Charles Vanerka to Frank J. Makovsky] ... 1
Kilbourn-av., s w cor Gladys, e f, 50x100, Feb. 10 [Nellie E. McCollum to Harold G. Townsend] ... 1
Kilbourn-av., n w cor Gladys, e f, 50x100, Feb. 12 [H. G. Townsend to Nellie E. McCollum] ... 1
Latrobe-av., 140 s of Fulton-st., w f, 50x125, Feb. 11 [F. Joseph Tansor to Harriet A. Tansor] ... 1
Leavitt-st., 48 s of Rice, w f, 25x100, rev stamp $1, incumb $1,700, Feb. 7 [John Szczyplorski to Adam Kusz] ... 10
Lexington-st., 274 e of Laramie-av., n f, 25x124, rev stamp $1.50, incumb $1,400, Feb. 14 [Murray Wellbach to Julian J. Hill] ... 2,700
Madison-st., W., s e cor Kostner-av., n f, 25 5-10x121, rev stamp $3, Feb. 11 [Margaret Hayes to Harry V. Adams] ... 1
Mansfield-av., 83 s of Thomas-st., e f, 37x124, Oct. 21, 1890 [Charles Rudolph to Peter Ulinder] ... 325
N. Mozart-st., 51 s of W. George, w f, 30x126, rev stamp $1.50, Nov. 3 [W. E. Beer to Charles Brasler] ... 1,250
Ohio-st., 160 w of Menard-av., s f, 40x118, rev stamp $4.50, incumb $4,000, Feb. 8 [Robert Gibson to Howard S. Bowen] ... 10
W. 22d-st., 28 e of Turner-av., n f, 37x125, rev stamp $4, Feb. 4 [Anna S. Anderson to Improvement Assn. for Blind People] ... 10
Washington-blvd., 273 w of Oakley-av., s f, 20x127, rev stamp $1, incumb $1,600, Feb. 4 [J. L. Killian to Joe Keller] ... 2,500
Western-av., 100 s of Fulton-st., w f, 75x125, incumb $7,500, Jan. 7 [The M. J. Hoyt Storage Co. to Herbert D. Cook] ... 10
W. Kinzie-st., 151 w of Keeler-av., n f, 50x100, rev stamp $3, Jan. 26 [Michael Shaughnessy et al. to Josef Turl] ... 2,000
Leclaire-av., 187 s of Augusta-st., e f, 50x125, rev stamp $1.50, Feb. 3 [Katherina Kufer to Ernest W. Huggins] ... 1,500
Lorel-av., 250 n of Washington-blvd., w f, 40x124, rev stamp $2, incumb $2,000, Feb. 14 [Mary Branigan to Olive Bates] ... 10
Menard-av., 23 s of Iowa-av., w f, 28x125, rev stamp $1, Jan. 18 [Lydia Schmidt to John T. Fitzgerald] ... 10
Menard-av., s e cor Iowa-st., w f, 28x125, rev stamp $1, Feb. 14 [Hilda J. Bryant to John T. Fitzgerald] ... 10
Menard-av., 48 s of Iowa-st., w f, 28x125, rev stamp $1, Feb. 14 [Fredericka Broecker to John T. Fitzgerald] ... 10
Menard-av., s e cor Iowa-st., w f, 72x125, rev stamp $1, Feb. 14 [J. T. Fitzgerald to Bertha Thorsness] ... 10
Race-st., 245 e of Lockwood-av., n f, 26x173, rev stamp $2.50, incumb $2,000, Nov. 20 [R. J. Bianchette to Theresa Abbo] ... 10
Washington-blvd., 175 e of Cicero-av., s f, 58x180, rev stamp $4, Feb. 14 [Catherine V. O'Brien to John J. Meany] ... 10
Frankfort-st., 118 e of Western-av., n f, 24x100, rev stamp $2, incumb $2,800, Feb. 12 [Frank Sutkus to Walter E. Gogolinski] ... 10
North-av., W., 1848, s f, 24x90, rev stamp 50c, Feb. 9 [Isadore Levin und 1-3 int to Ida Levin] ... 10
Fry-st., 124 n of Racine-av., n f, 24x122, m or less, rev stamp $2, incumb $2,000, Feb. 10 [Wojciech Zolinski to Joseph Dvorak] ... 10
Marshfield-av., 183 n of North, e f, 24x124, rev stamp $2, incumb $1,700, Feb. 10 [Joseph Dvorak to Wojciech Zolinski] ... 10

BREMEN.

Tinley Park, Whitney & R.'s add, lot 44, blk 7, rev stamp 50c [J. C. Drager to F. C. Drager] ... 1

BLOOM.

Chicago Heights, Schilling-av. add, lot 16, blk 1, rev stamp $1.50, Feb. 7 [C. T. & T. Co., tr, to Edward W. Clark] ... 1,500
School T., sub. lot 1, n ½, 17-35-16, rev stamp $11.50, Feb. 14 [Clarence Fredricks et al., by m in c, to John J. Lawler] ... 11,310

CICERO.

Grose' second add, lot 11, blk 8, rev stamp $1.50, Feb. 14 [Jeanette Ball to John Hutton et al] ... 1,200
Morton Park Land Ass'n's sub, lot 11, blk 10, rev stamp $1, Feb. 11 [S. Wendt to Joseph L. Dombi] ... 750
Oak Park, Wallen & F.'s add, lots 29 to 32, blk 6, rev stamp $2.50, Feb. 10 [Messrs T. Hudson to Frank W. Eberle] ... 2,225
Twp 39, lot 4, blk 7, n e ¼, 28-39-13, Oct. 14, 1913 [est. W. G. Winslow to Vaclav Cuda et al] ... 10
Twp 39, lot 5, sub lot 3, 28-39-13, rev stamp $1.50, Feb. 10 [Frank Matlasek to Adolph Svec] ... 1,300
Twp 39, lots 2 and 3, blk 22, 19-39-13, rev stamp 50c, incumb $300, Feb. 4 [J. L. Gear to Minnie Carlson] ... 10
22d-st.-blvd, sub, lot 30, blk 1, 28-39-13, rev stamp $2, Jan. 28 [Pauline J. Heimer to Rose Gasper] ... 10

LEMONT.

Co. clk.'s sub, pt lot 26, 29-37-11, rev stamp 50c, Feb. 14 [N. J. Brown to Julia Kettering] ... 450

LEYDEN.

Ellsworth's first add, lot 4, blk 21, 25-40-12, rev stamp 50c, Feb. 14 [C. T. and T. Co. to Otto H. Becker] ... 1

NEW TRIER.

Seeger's sub, lot 10 blk 5, s w ¼, 33-42-13, Nov. 6, 1914 [Barbara Hanna to Helena Hartman] ... 1
Wilmette, Gage's add, pt blk 13, rev stamp $5.00, incumb $1,500, Feb. 7 [A. B. Marvin to Benj. F. Eliseland] ... 5,000

NORWOOD PARK.

Kaiser & Co., Ridgemoor terrace, lot 13, blk 10, rev stamp 50c, Feb. 1 [Rebecca H. Hanson to Leonard J. Creek] ... 10

PROVISO.

Maywood, lot 3 and s ½ lot 2, blk 161, rev stamp 50c, Feb. 11 [H. W. F. Conrad to Henry J. Korn] ... 10
Maywood, lot 6 and pt lots 7, 8, and 9, blk 134, sub to exist incumb, Jan. 31 [Martha Trute to Thomas H. Harvey] ... 10
Proviso Land Ass'n add, Maywood, pt lot 43, all 44 and 45, blk 24, Jan. 31 [Martha Trute to Darius R. Brown] ... 10
Melrose, lots 1 and 2, blk 50, 3-39-12, rev stamp $1, Jan. 25 [Lynda Ullrich to Elsa R. Smith] ... 1
Melrose, lot 28, blk 67, rev stamp $1.50, Feb. 2 [J. A. Blume et al, by M. in C., to Julia Spielman et al] ... 2,258

RIDGEVILLE.

Evanston, Hastings' add, lot 36, rev stamp 50c, Jan. 12 [C. F. Norton to Valentine J. Doepp] ... 150
N. Evanston, lot 17, blk 17, rev stamp $2.50, Feb. 5 [Mathias Nilles to Walter M. Mitchell] ... 10

RIVERSIDE.

Hollywood 2d add, lot 4, blk 5, rev stamp $1, Sept. 25 [Edith R. McCormick to Chas. B. Robertson] ... 10

STICKNEY.

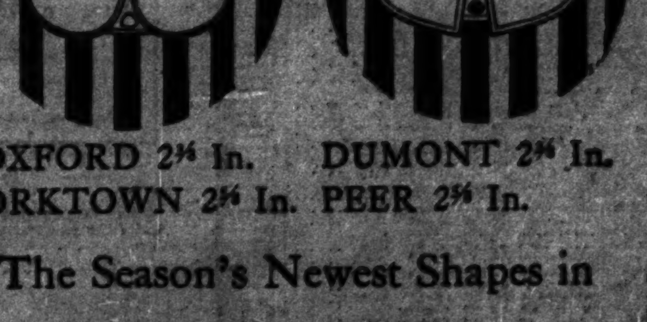
Bartlett Highlands, lot 1, blk 28, Feb. 3 [David Voss to Gertie Bolhuis] ... 10
Bartlett Highlands, lot 1, blk 28, Feb. 5 [Gertie Bolhuis to Elizabeth Voss] ... 10
Bartlett Highlands, Bartlett's 4th add, lot 7, blk 44, rev stamp 50c, Jan. 31 [F. H. Bartlett to Jacob Barscus] ... 200
Crane View, Archer-av. Home add, lots 30 and 31, blk 24, rev stamp 50c, Nov. 10 [E. F. McElroy to Martin Fett] ... 1
Eastel's Archer-av. add, lot 20, blk 35, rev stamp 50c, Feb. 11 [F. J. Hetzel to Boleslaw Mislowski] ... 150

THORNTON.

Harvey, Broomell Bros.' add, lot 9, blk 4, rev stamp $1, Feb. 5 [E. Krawczyk to Wladislaw Szczepaniewicz] ... 500
Homewood, Robertson & Y. 4th add, pt lot 7, rev stamp 50c, Feb. 9 [B. A. Bussell to Catherine Causegrove] ... 10
Twp 36, pt n e ¼ n w ¼ 26-36-14, rev stamp $1.50, Dec. 27 [K. T. Paarlberg to Jan Goewens] ... 10

Building Permits.

West End-av., 4405-07, 2 story brick flats; H. E. Brackett, 39 S. La Salle-st.; Arthur Jacobs, arch.; T. Peterson, mason; C. H. Brown, carp. ... $40,000
Van Buren-st., W. 5, alterations and brick addition; Otis estate, no address; D. J. Schaffner, arch.; J. H. Pollak & Co., mason; not given ... 10,000
Maplewood-av., N., 3212, 1½ story frame residence; C. Florin, 3203 S. Winchester-av.; E. F. Wach, arch.; not given; owner is carp. ... 1,800
Lynch-av., 5461, 1 story frame residence; V. Mayer, 1510 Sedgwick-st.; R. J. Bruns, arch.; owner is mason and carp. ... 1,000
St. Lawrence-av., 4638-41, 3 story brick flats and garage; M. D. Finch, 3707 S. Peoria-st.; H. L. Newhouse, arch.; Baldemeier & Erickson, mason; not given ... 17,000
Prairie-av., 4611-15, 3 story brick flats; Kelly Bros., 311 W. 55d-st.; A. G. Lund, arch.; D. O. Cailly, mason; not given ... 25,000
Carpenter-st., S., 7622, 1 story brick residence; C. R. B. Bergstrom, 7645 S. Morgan-st.; A. G. Lund, arch.; O. Berglund, mason; owner is carp. ... 3,000
Bishop-st., S., 7816, 2 story brick flats; D. Hanson, 7309 Justine-st.; A. G. Lund, arch.; O. Berglund, mason; owner is carp. ... 5,000
Lorel-av., 1515, 2 story brick flats; H. Korrus, 1520 Lorel-av.; T. J. Reynertson, arch.; Stephen Muth, mason; G. F. Wendell, carp. ... 6,500
Colgan-av., 5106-7, 1 story frame residence; E. C. Wallers, Rookery building; E. C. Shankland, arch.; not given; T. Kosciolski, carp. ... 2,700
Polk-st., 3926, 2 story brick flats; J. Farrell, 3850 Flournoy-st.; E. Brauchler, arch.; G. Reichard, mason; E. L. Jones, carp. ... 5,000
Fulton-st., 359-63, 1 story brick market; W. J. Chalmers, 1100 Lake Shore drive; H. C. Miller, arch.; F. J. Freyer, mason; L. Levine, carp. ... 12,000
Cregier-av., 6746, 2 story brick residence; S. Moore, 1331 First National Bank building; C. Michaelson, arch.; A. Erlandson & Son, mason; not given ... 7,000
120th-st., E., 118, 1 story frame residence; S. Ogoskiewicz, 12048 Indiana-av.; not given; owner is carp. ... 1,200
Evergreen-av., 2118, 3 story brick flats; Philip Ram, 2812 Thomas-st.; A. L. Himelblau, arch.; Entin & Rubin, mason; owner is carp. ... 33,000
Albany-av., N., 4061, 3 story brick flats; J. C. Haanning, 2416 N. Avers-av.; T. J. Reynertson, arch.; A. C. Christiansen, mason; owner is carp. ... 6,000
St. Louis-av., N., 4819-20, 2 story brick apartments; Mary Pakorn, 4401 Histon-av.; F. Kaiseberg, arch.; Stacks & Carwell, mason; P. F. Kissia, carp. ... 14,000
Monroe-st., W., 4854 and 4900, two 2 story brick flats; E. Ellsworth, 4858 W. Monroe-st.; F. Schoenfeldt, arch.; owner is mason; not given ... 12,000
Elston-av., 4184, 2 story brick stores and flats; S. Rabonowski, 1628 S. Hamlin-av.; A. L. Himelblau, arch.; Y. Tamran, mason; owner is carp. ... 9,000
Lotus-av., S., 5316-18, 1 story brick residences; M. J. Tobias, 5509 Archer-av.; D. W. Turbyfill, arch.; G. W. Wormald, mason and carp. ... 4,000
Bryn Mawr-av., 1462, 2 story brick flats; E. A. Sandberg, 1459 Victoria-st.; E. Benson, arch.; A. W. Anderson, mason; owner is carp. ... 12,000
Maryland-av., 8610, 2 story brick residence; H. Tucker, 3714 S. Seeley-av.; A. G. Lund, arch.; Faber Construction Co., mason; owner is carp. ... 3,000
Elk Grove-av., 1489, 1 story brick addition; J. Hope, 1486 Elk Grove-av.; Worthmann & Steinbach, arch.; F. Klajda, mason and carp. ... 2,200
Montrose-av., 3901-03, 1 story brick stores; P. Moore, 7841 N. Ashland-av.; L. M. Mitchell, arch.; C. W. Moore, mason; owner is carp. ... 12,000
Giddings-st., 3745, 2 story brick flats; Bernard German, 3189 Eastwood-av.; A. J. Fisher, arch.; M. Timme, mason; H. Rose, carp. ... 9,500



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Methodist Leaders Hold Differences Over Pastimes No Bar to Merger.

BY THE REV. W. B. NORTON.

Dancing, theater going, card playing, the use of tobacco, overlapping of different branches of the church in the same territory, the Negro, all regarded as sensitive questions affecting a union of Methodism, were declared yesterday at the conference in Harris hall, Evanston, not to be insuperable barriers to unity.

Bishop Collins Denny and Prof. Wilbur F. Tillett, both of Nashville, Tenn., representing the Methodist Episcopal church, South, took sharp issue with each other on the use of tobacco among ministers.

Cites Dangerous Tendency.

Bishop Denny declared the action of the general conference in barring men from entering the ministry unless they promise to abstain from the use of tobacco was a dangerous tendency, because it was making rules for the church other than those specifically laid down in the Scriptures.

"If this rule had been enforced in early Methodism," he said, "it would have kept out of the church the first bishop, Francis Asbury, and other bishops, like McKendree and some now honored in the church."

"I have been teaching young men preparing for the ministry for many years," Dr. Tillett replied. "I tried by appeals to the highest motives to get the young men to agree to promise not to use tobacco. But they said 'Look at Bishop So and So.' The only way to put a stop to it is to compel them to sign the pledge."

Church Too Strict.

On the question of amusements Dr. Tillett said he thought it was probable the Methodist church had been too strict.

Bishop W. F. McDowell of Evanston urged constructive rather than prohibitive legislation on the amusement question.

"To provide amusement," he said, "is to be one of the big tasks of the united Methodism of the future."

Bishop J. W. Hamilton of Boston said discipline by instruction is better than discipline by the strap, and that "amusement is a necessity of nature," and it should "not prevent union."

The conference will close tonight.

IOWA GAINS IN POPULATION.

Advance of 6 Per Cent Is Shown Over the Last Federal Census, in 1910.

Des Moines, Ia., Feb. 16.—Iowa has gained 6 per cent in population since the last federal census in 1910, according to the state census bureau, which today completed a new census of the state. There are now 2,358,062 people living in the state.

Fire Marshal Egan Honored.

Patrick J. Egan, recently appointed sixth assistant marshal of the fire department, was presented with a large diamond ring at a dinner given for him by business men and friends in the department in the Hotel La Salle last night.

OFFICIAL WEATHER FORECAST.

Chicago, Feb. 16.—Following is the forecast issued by the Chicago forecast district:

Illinois, Missouri, Wisconsin, Minnesota, Iowa, North and South Dakota, Nebraska, Kansas—Fair weather with moderate temperature Thursday and Friday.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 16.—Forecast: Indiana, Ohio, Upper and Lower Michigan—Fair Thursday and Friday.

Place of observation. Feb. 16, 1916. 7:00 p. m., Central time.	Temp. 7 p. m.	Highest today	Lowest last night	State of weather	Direction of wind	Velocity of wind	Precipitation 24 hours
Eastern states—							
Albany	[illegible]	30	12	Cloudy	S.	..	...
Atlanta	60	64	22	Clear	W.	..	...
Boston	[illegible]	[illegible]	18	Cloudy	S.W.	10	...
Buffalo	34	[illegible]	20	Cloudy	S.W.	22	...
Charleston	[illegible]	54	[illegible]	Clear	S.W.	..	...
New York	[illegible]	[illegible]	20	Cloudy	S.W.	12	...
Parkersburg	[illegible]	[illegible]	10	Cloudy	S.	..	...
Philadelphia	34	[illegible]	20	Cloudy	S.W.	12	...
Pittsburgh	36	[illegible]	18	Cloudy	S.W.	10	...
Raleigh	[illegible]	54	[illegible]	Clear	S.W.	..	...
Washington	[illegible]	[illegible]	20	Cloudy	S.	..	...
Gulf states—							
Abilene	64	74	24	Clear	S.W.	..	...
Amarillo	62	72	[illegible]	Clear	W.	..	...
El Paso	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	Fair	S.	10	...
Galveston	[illegible]	66	46	Clear	S.	..	...
Jacksonville	60	[illegible]	[illegible]	Clear	S.E.	10	...
Miami	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	Clear	N.W.	..	...
Mobile	[illegible]	60	[illegible]	Clear	S.W.	..	...
Montgomery	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	Clear	W.	..	...
New Orleans	60	[illegible]	42	Clear	S.W.	..	...
San Antonio	66	74	42	Clear	S.	..	...
Shreveport	[illegible]	70	[illegible]	Clear	W.	..	...
Tampa	[illegible]	64	[illegible]	Clear	N.W.	..	...
Vicksburg	[illegible]	[illegible]	40	Clear	S.W.	..	...
East-Central states—							
Alpena	34	40	22	Clear	N.W.	12	...
Cairo	50	[illegible]	[illegible]	Clear	S.W.	..	...
Chicago	[illegible]	45	27	Clear	W.	14	...
Cincinnati	40	[illegible]	15	Clear	S.W.	..	...
Cleveland	38	40	[illegible]	Rain	S.W.	12	...
Detroit	[illegible]	40	[illegible]	Cloudy	W.	12	...
Escanaba	[illegible]	40	[illegible]	Clear	N.	..	...
Evansville	[illegible]	[illegible]	30	Clear	S.W.	..	...
Fort Wayne	40	46	[illegible]	Clear	S.W.	14	...
Grand Haven	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	Fair	W.	..	...
Grand Rapids	[illegible]	40	[illegible]	Cloudy	W.	..	...
Green Bay	[illegible]	40	18	Cloudy	S.W.	10	...
Indianapolis	42	46	24	Clear	S.W.	14	...
Madison	[illegible]	44	20	Cloudy	W.	..	...
Marquette	[illegible]	[illegible]	24	Clear	N.W.	..	...
Memphis	54	[illegible]	40	Clear	S.	..	...
Milwaukee	40	[illegible]	[illegible]	Cloudy	W.	..	...
Nashville	54	[illegible]	[illegible]	Clear	S.W.	..	...
Peoria	42	48	[illegible]	Clear	S.W.	..	...
Ste. Marie	34	36	[illegible]	Cloudy	N.W.	10	...
Springfield, Ill.	44	48	[illegible]	Clear	S.W.	..	...
West-central states—							
Bismarck	[illegible]	48	32	Cloudy		..	...
Charles City	[illegible]	40	12	Clear	N.W.	..	...
Concordia	[illegible]	60	[illegible]	Clear	S.W.	..	...
Davenport	40	46	24	Fair	W.	..	...
Des Moines	42	50	26	Clear	N.W.	..	...
Devil's Lake	34	38	[illegible]	Cloudy	N.E.	..	...
Dodge	60	74	[illegible]	Clear	N.W.	..	...
Dubuque	40	44	24	Clear	W.	..	...
Duluth	[illegible]	..	18	......	..	..	[illegible]
Huron	36	40	20	Clear	N.W.	..	...
Kansas City	58	62	[illegible]	Clear	W.	..	...
Keokuk	44	52	[illegible]	Clear	S.W.	..	...
Little Rock	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	Clear	[illegible]	..	...
Moorhead	[illegible]	40	[illegible]	Cloudy	N.W.	..	...
North Platte	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	Clear	N.W.	..	...
Oklahoma	[illegible]	72	[illegible]	Clear	S.	10	...
Omaha	[illegible]	52	[illegible]	Clear	N.W.	..	...
Rapid City	44	66	[illegible]	Clear	N.E.	..	...
Sioux City	[illegible]	46	[illegible]	Clear	N.W.	10	...
St. Louis	58	60	[illegible]	Clear	S.W.	14	...
St. Paul	40	42	24	Cloudy	N.W.	..	...
Springf'd, Mo.	56	62	[illegible]	Clear	S.W.	..	...
Wichita	[illegible]	64	[illegible]	Clear	S.	..	...
Williston	36	44	30	Cloudy	W.	..	...
Mountain states—							
Boise	48	48	30	Clear	N.W.	..	...
Cheyenne	50	64	28	Clear	N.W.	..	...
Denver	[illegible]	64	32	Clear	N.E.	..	...
Havre	42	[illegible]	30	Clear	S.W.	12	...
Helena	48	52	30	Fair	S.W.	..	...
Lander	32	[illegible]	18	Clear	N.E.	..	...
Miles City	50	[illegible]	[illegible]	Cloudy	S.W.	..	...
Phoenix	78	[illegible]	[illegible]	Clear	W.	..	...
Salt Lake City	40	46	[illegible]	Clear	N.W.	..	...
Sheridan	38	52	[illegible]	Cloudy	S.	..	...
Yellow. Park	42	46	34	Cloudy	S.E.	10	...
Pacific states—							
Fresno	62	66	50	Clear	W.	..	...
Los Angeles	76	82	60	Clear	W.	..	...
Portland, Ore.	54	[illegible]	44	Cloudy	N.W.	..	...
Sacramento	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	Clear	S.E.	..	...
San Francisco	70	[illegible]	[illegible]	Clear	N.W.	..	...
San Diego	72	[illegible]	[illegible]	Clear	N.W.	..	...
Spokane	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	Cloudy	S.W.	..	...
Walla Walla	48	48	[illegible]	Clear	S.E.	..	...
Canadian—							
Battleford	40	50	24	Fair	S.W.	..	...
Calgary	46	[illegible]	24	Clear	N.W.	..	...
Edmonton	[illegible]	54	[illegible]	Fair	W.	10	...
Medicine Hat	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	Clear	......	..	...
Minnedosa	[illegible]	[illegible]	22	Clear	......	..	...
Montreal	[illegible]	[illegible]	8	Snow	S.W.	12	[illegible]
Quebec	[illegible]	[illegible]	2	Snow	..	..	[illegible]
Qu'Appelle	[illegible]	46	24	Fair	S.W.	..	...
Toronto	34	[illegible]	24	Cloudy	S.W.	12	...
White River	[illegible]	40	24	Snow	W.	12	...
Winnipeg	38	40	30	Cloudy	......	..	...

SENATE WILL INVESTIGATE BINDER TWINE MONOPOLY

Hearings Involving International Harvester and Plymouth Corporation to Open in Washington.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 16.—[Special.]—To what extent there is a binder twine monopoly in this country will be determined by hearings scheduled to begin tomorrow before the senate committee on manufactures. The International Harvester company and the Plymouth Cordage company are accused on the one hand of holding up the American farmers, and on the other hand the newly organized comision reguladora of Yucatan, Mexico, together with the comision's agent in this country, the Pan-American Commission corporation, recently organized by New Orleans, Chicago, and New York bankers, is accused by International Harvester interests of the organization of a monopoly.

Attorney General Gregory, after listening today to an explanation by Levy Mayer of Chicago, attorney for the Pan-American corporation, and Sol Wexler, the New Orleans banker, of the plans of the corporation, reserved decision pending the hearings as to whether the agency is in violation of the Sherman anti-trust act.

According to Attorney Mayer, the sisal producers of Yucatan have combined with the approval of the state government to secure fair prices for their product and to prevent the International Harvester company, the principal purchaser, from controlling the price.

SILK MANUFACTURER FINED FOR BLOCKING INSPECTORS.

Oscar Heineman Penalized $25 on Charge of Withholding School Certificates of Employes.

Oscar Heineman, president of the Oscar Heineman company, silk manufacturers at 2701 Armitage avenue, was fined $25 and costs yesterday by Judge Hill on a charge of obstructing inspectors in the discharge of their duty. The arrest of Mr. Heineman was caused by Deputy Factory Inspectors Gertrude Stoetzel and Elizabeth A. Grady.

The deputy factory inspectors testified that while inspecting Mr. Heineman's plant on Dec. 9 Mr. Heineman abused them and interfered with their inspection. He also refused to allow them to see the school certificates of some of his employés under the age of 16, they testified.

Mr. Heineman testified in his own behalf. He denied he had abused the inspectors or had refused to allow them to see the certificates. The only thing he objected to, he said, was the inspectors stopping the girls in their work and questioning them.

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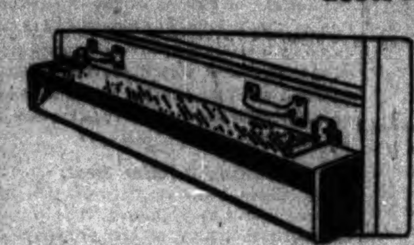

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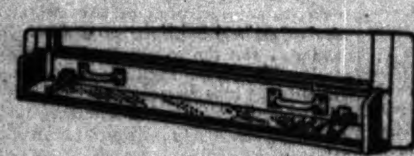

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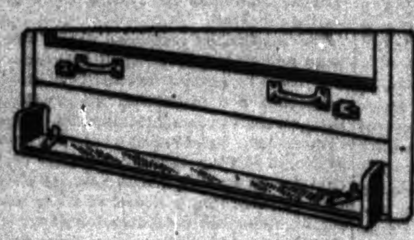

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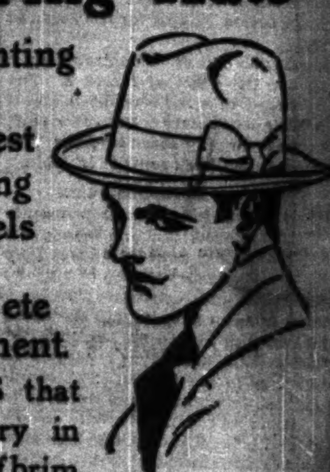

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Handling of Boys and Probation System Beset with Many Dangers.

PERIL TO THE GOOD YOUTHS.

(This is the third article by Mr. Hyde in answer to the question, "What is the matter with reform?")

BY HENRY M. HYDE.

WE WILL

He had served for several years as judge of the Juvenile court in Salt Lake City. On one occasion a girl of 16 had confessed to immoral conduct in his court. He put her on probation to her own mother.

Six months later the same girl and four others of the same age were brought into the court on the same charges, and all admitted their guilt. The mother of one of the other girls came to see the judge in his chambers.

"Judge," she said, "you are responsible for my child's downfall. That girl you put on probation has dragged all these other children down with her."

The testimony showed that the mother's statement was correct.

Carries Some Dangers.

The proper handling of what are called "delinquent" children is one of the hardest and most perplexing problems in the world. The Juvenile court, invented in Chicago, is the best answer up to date. The placing of juvenile delinquents on probation is an essential part of the system. Few people would even suggest the abandonment of the juvenile probation system. Yet it remains true that it carries with it certain distinct and serious dangers.

A boy of 13, for instance, who has learned to steal and gamble in Chicago alleys and poolrooms may be sent to a farm on probation. Often it works and under the influence of hard work, fresh air, and country life the boy becomes a good citizen. On the other hand, he may become a center for distributing bad habits, nastiness, and criminal tricks among the boys and girls of the country neighborhood to which he is sent on probation.

Likened to Rattlesnake.

A judge of my acquaintance, now on the bench, who admits himself a conservative, even a reactionary, says he would as soon send a rattlesnake out to the country as one of these poolroom and alley graduates.

"If a boy has the smallpox," he says, "I am, of course, sorry for him. I insist that he shall have the best care and nursing. But I also insist that he be sent to the pesthouse and kept there until he entirely recovers and there is no danger that he will infect other people. It should be the same way with a boy who has moral smallpox. I feel sorry for him, of course. But I feel vastly more sorry for all the innocent children with whom he is sent to associate."

Question for Parents.

Suppose for a moment one makes a personal matter of it. Would you be willing that your child should daily associate with children who have been convicted in the Juvenile court of various offenses, even minor offenses? Would you be willing, for the sake of the child offender's possible reform, that your children should run the possible risk of contamination? Yet when a juvenile offender is put on probation the parents of the children with whom he plays do not even know that he has been in court, or are not likely to know, at least.

Chicago is fortunate that it has had at the head of the Juvenile court, in the person of Judge Pinckney, one of the most conscientious, devoted, and able chancellors on the bench. Yet the attention and the sympathy of the court and of the court attachés must always be chiefly absorbed by the individual children who are brought before them. It is impossible to look at some of the tiny offenders, whose heads barely show over the top of the judge's low table, and to hear the sordid stories of their misdeeds without being completely possessed with pity and the desire to help.

Many Go on Probation.

If a child is found to be feeble minded it may be sent down to the state farm at Lincoln for permanent custody. But if the child is normal and he is a first offender, he is likely—unless his crime is really heinous—to be placed on probation.

Last year there were 1,250 boys and nearly 500 girls before the court for the first time. They were, so far as the court is concerned, first offenders. That does not mean, necessarily, that they actually were first offenders. He would be a most unlucky kid who is caught after his first misstep. Many of them were discharged. A few were sent to institutions. And nearly 1,000 boys and about 225 girls were placed on probation after they had been convicted. Some of them had been in court more than once.

Bad Environment a Factor.

A large number of these children were bad because of bad surroundings and environment. Yet more than 800 of them were sent back on probation to live with their parents in the same old environment, with the same temptations, the same companionship. When the Juvenile court is able to do more to help or to force parents to change the home environment for the better no doubt its probation system will work more perfectly.

Practically every kid gets at least one chance on probation from the Juvenile court. Yet last year, when 1,249 boys made their first appearance before the judge, there were more than half as many more who came back for the second and third time. Some ninety even played a fifth return engagement. An even two dozen came back for the seventh time, and there were actually two who made their ninth appearance.

It is not pleasant to criticize the results of a court which in its ideals and in its direction is above criticism. But it may be worth while to know some of the things which make its job tremendously difficult and perplexing.

"LA PRINCESSE ENCHANTEE."

A Camera's Impression of One of the Graceful Postures in One of the Ballet Russe's Most Graceful Episodes.

Lydia Lopokova and Adolf Bolm in "La Princesse Enchantee"

RAINBOW RUSSIANS.

BY KITTY KELLY.

It was as if the rainbow were unleashed at the Auditorium last night with all the colors racing riotously about, settling here and there in gorgeous splotches, reënforced with gilded edges borrowed from the stars and sun.

As untrammeled by normalities, apparently, were muscles of feet and arms and torsos doing those things not generally done by such anatomical divisions.

It was the third evening of the Ballet Russe. Other evenings have been otherwise, maybe, but this one was related more nearly to the ornithological kingdom than any other, with feathery lightness of motion and manner dominating.

As if the dancers' bodies were connected with corporeality only in form, they flitted over the stage in their demonstrations of silent motion, or, to be exact, noiseless or soundproof motion.

For, while the stage was full of dancers, across the storm of the orchestra's ministrations over Tschaikowsky, Rimsky-Korsakow, and Larionow, one was fairly conscious of the silence attending the movements of the mimers. Feet fell as if on air, leapings landed as on a rubber ball—except in "La Princesse Enchantee," when M. Adolf Bolm by mischance struck flat upon the floor with no little resonance of contact.

It was all as airy as if color and the third dimension had come to the world's latest magic medium, the motion picture. There was picture and here was motion, plus color and thickness—for it was not to be denied that some of these airiest pedals were of a thickness not to be unseen.

The evening's display included two spectacles of gyration seen before, "L'Oiseau de Feu," or "The Fire Bird," and "Carnaval," with Lydia Lopokova the star twirler upon whom to rest the eye, after having digested the scenes and costumes of Bakstian character.

The two new presentations were of a gay festivity, both pigment and pedal.

"La Princesse Enchantee," danced by Lydia Lopokova and M. Adolf Bolm, occurred before a gorgeous Bakstian blue-green-purple sky backgrounding luxuriant clusters of husky red banana trees.

The rest of the rainbow joined in finishing the color scheme, concentrating on the costumes of the two, investing Miss Lopokova particularly in a greenish gown with frills of purple tulle surmounting all the white tighted legs with which nature had provided her.

These two won plaudit after plaudit from the onlookers, each separate stanza of the dance bringing hands together in audible enthusiasm.

The other new offering was "Soleil de Nuit," for which the program supplied the explanation "Creation." Otherwise a mere movie scribe wouldn't have known what Leonide Massine and Zwerew, with their colleagues of the ballet, were getting at. As it was one knew scarcely more except it was a jolly commingling of color and motion, with maids dressed quaintly in petticoats shaped like old fashioned wooden potato mashers and other maids in skirts less restrained that in the whirl revealed undeniably they were possessed of legs, as might be expected of dancers.

Perhaps it registers a wrong state of mind to record that this "Soleil de Nuit" was a jolly, playful thing, but that is exactly what the riot of color and revel of feet portrayed—and, at that, maybe that was what it was meant to. These Russian dancers are so stimulative!

SHIRT SLEEVES DRAW A FINE

Hot Police Sergeant Who Doffed His Coat and Got Caught Punished.

"I dropped into the Cragin station by chance," First Deputy Schuettler told the police trial board yesterday. "It was Sunday evening. I saw there, playing cards at a table in the squadroom, Desk Sergeant Halfden E. G. Olsen. He was in his shirt sleeves."

The testimony cost the desk sergeant two days' pay, despite his plea that it was a warm evening and he was hot.

Conventions Today

Cement Show .... Coliseum
American Concrete Institute..........
.... Auditorium Hotel
Central Association of Lumber, Sash, and Door Salesmen..Hotel Sherman
National Conference on Concrete Road Building .... Auditorium Hotel
Illinois Lumber and Builders' Sup-
liners ....Hotel La Salle
ply Association .... Hotel Sherman
National Association of Retail Mil-
American Concrete Pipe Association
.... Auditorium Hotel
Railway Freight Claim Association
.... Hotel La Salle

80 GIRLS ON PROBATION REPORT TO JUDGE UHLIR.

Only Six of Court's Erring Wards Fail to Show Up on "Return Day."

Eighty girls released on probation by Judge Uhlir in the Morals court reported to him yesterday. It was known as "return day." Only six failed to appear. A fine of $100 and costs was entered against each of them and warrants were issued for their arrest. Miss Louise Ory, adult probation officer, into whose charge the girls were given, told the judge that more than four-fifths of them had obtained positions and were working.

The girls who reported to Miss Ory that they had obtained positions were not in court. Judge Uhlir discharged those who either appeared or were reported at work.

One girl told Miss Ory that she obtained employment in a west side rooming house doing housework, but that the woman who had hired her learned of her arrest and had discharged her. Since that time, she said, she obtained a place in a downtown department store.

SALT PORK CAUSES STRIKE.

Consumers' Ice Cutters at Lake Calumet Tire of Their Board.

Too much salt pork fed to the ice cutting crew at Lake Calumet caused a strike of fifty men yesterday at ice house No. 3 of the Consumers' Ice company. The ice cutting takes from ten days to two weeks and the men are hired for the entire job at $1.75 a day and board.

"We couldn't stand the eternal salt sow belly," said Dan Rowan, one of the strikers. "We got it for breakfast, dinner, and supper. They paid no attention to our kicks."

"The men quit all right," said Bert Hadden, superintendent, "but we have hired other men in their place who are glad to get the jobs and the board."

DOCTOR ADMITS DEFYING LAW TO CONTROL BIRTHS

Physicians Take Advanced Stand in Advocating Limiting of Families.

LAMBERT DEATH CITED.

Radical sociologists may have to abdicate to "regular" physicians their position of promulgating the doctrine of birth control. This was the advice of a number of speakers last night at a meeting of the Chicago Medical society.

The meeting abounded in unusual statements. Dr. H. J. Haiselden of "Baby Bollinger" fame announced that he expected to perform an abortion on a case on which he is working. He is uncertain yet whether he will first notify the health department.

Dr. Anna Blount deprecated the fact that while the Harvard graduate has "three-quarters of a son" and the Vassar graduate "half a daughter," the families of the feeble minded in the United States average eight children.

Lambert Tragedy Cited.

Dr. Rachelle Yarros, who was not present, but whose paper was read by Dr. Alice Hamilton, stated that if the dissemination of knowledge on contraception were not prohibited such tragedies as the death of Marian Lambert would have been averted.

Dr. Robert L. Dickinson of Brooklyn asserted that he is a confessed criminal in that he furnishes information regarding the control of birth.

"I have under my care," said Dr. Haiselden, "a woman of 20 years, who has a baby 6 months old. Another is expected to arrive in five months. The husband is subnormal, mentally. The mother of the wife has been in the insane asylum. An uncle of the father is a moron. The father is coming to me for sterilization at his request, and he wants his baby boy sterilized.

"I intend to perform an abortion on that woman. A possible defense is that as the law is enforced in Chicago it is only when a woman dies that abortion is a crime."

Dr. Haiselden was cheered. He remarked that it might be his last speech before the Chicago Medical society. The recommendation for his dismissal from the society by the ethical relations committee will be acted on next month.

Active Campaign Urged.

"It is a mistake," asserted Dr. Yarros, "to think that mere removal of legislation which prevents education on these matters would serve our social needs. It is necessary, in addition to that, to undertake a rational and active campaign among our population to remove the religious, so-called moral, and old fashioned medical reasons against birth control.

"As physicians we are in a position to know that hundreds of children are born in conditions, physical and moral, which mean neglect, subsequent delinquency, vice, and crime. Who of us has not heard the heartbroken appeals of many decent, honest, working women or women of the middle class worn out from the struggle to care for the children they already have and appealing for relief from the impending calamity?

Get Relief Somewhere.

"We refuse to perform an abortion. But these women leave to get relief somewhere, regardless of infection, invalidism, or death.

"It is claimed that the dissemination of knowledge of contraception would lead to great laxity among young, unmarried persons. This might happen to some degree, but would the consequences be worse than those which stare us daily in the face and which we read about in the newspapers? The Lake Forest tragedy is only one of the many illustrations."

As to Women's Clubs.

"There is not even a radical woman's club that will touch the subject of birth control," said Dr. Blount. "But statistics indicate that scientific and intellectual men are having smaller and smaller families. The rich can get the information by paying a fee to a physician.

"I agree that there must be a bad moral effect on women as the result of the great number of abortions. We need a propaganda of voluntary motherhood. We need to make it fashionable to have children—good children."

Prof. James N. Field of the University of Chicago spoke on "The Beginning of the Birth Control Movement." Dr. Hamilton told of the leagues on birth control in Europe.

QUADRANGLE TO HAVE $100,000 CLUB HOUSE.

Organization Votes Unanimously to Accept Offer Made by U. of C. Trustees.

Ground probably will be broken in the early summer for a new $100,000 club house for the Quadrangle club of the University of Chicago. The club last night voted unanimously to accept the offer made by the board of trustees of the university nearly a year ago. The offer contemplates the granting of a ninety-nine year lease of property at the southeast corner of Fifty-seventh street and University avenue and the erection of the new club house in exchange for the property on which the present club house stands at Fifty-eighth street and University avenue.

It is planned to tear down the old Quadrangle club house and use the site as part of that on which a $1,500,000 chapel will be erected.

Another plan which the club adopted at the meeting was that hereafter the membership must be restricted so that at least 65 per cent of the members at all times will be members of the faculty.

TODAY—SELIG-TRIBUNE

The World's Greatest News Film.

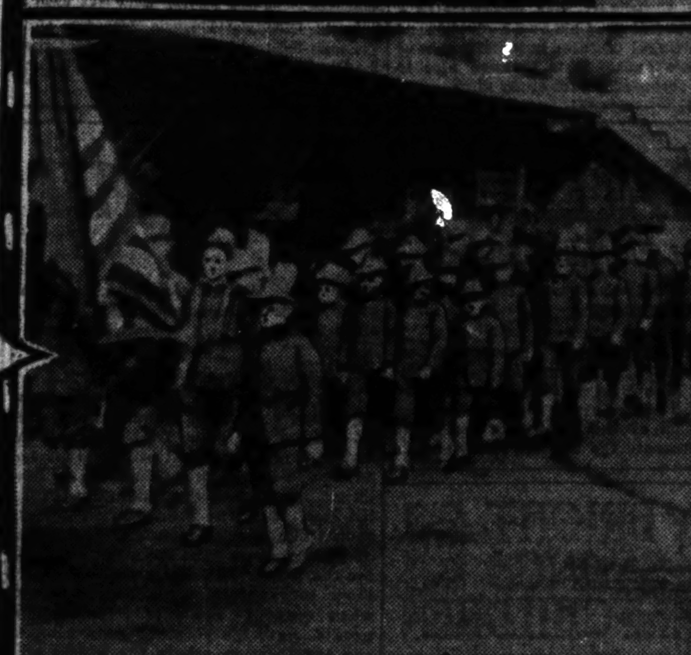
The man of the hour! The woman of the hour! They're the ones who realize the necessity of KEEPING UP! Their fingers are on the pulse of current events. They keep an unfaltering eye on life as it is being lived, day by day. To enable them to do this with the least possible exertion to themselves, the Selig-Tribune has representatives stationed all over the world, who get the news, photograph it—and flash it on the screen—for you—if you're a man of the hour—a woman of the hour! This week you'll be interested to see:

THE ALMOST MARTYRED ARCHBISHOP MUNDELEIN.

There was absolutely no flaw in the calculation or preparation of the would-be poisoner of the new Chicago archbishop. Had not fate intervened the University club of Chicago would have lived in history as the scene of one of the most ghastly wholesale scientific slaughters of the ages—where plotters against the Church Catholic succeeded in fulfilling their deadly aims. Today's Selig-Tribune shows you a "close-up" of the dignitary in whose honor the poisoned banquet was given. It also shows you several gripping pictures of what has been taking place in the laboratories of the experts—as they discovered that arsenic, not ptomaines as was first believed, caused the almost fatal catastrophe.

PREPAREDNESS IN PREPARATION.

Our American educational institutions have awakened. The alarm of danger has gone off and all over the United States the young men in the schools are being drilled rigidly that they may be in readiness to serve their flag should their country call them. Stirring pictures, these, that bring the blood to your cheeks and set your heart beating a few throbs faster.



LITTLE "DIME-FOR-A-DREADNAUGHT" MARJORIE STERRET

—in tow of a devoted naval officer—inspected the battleship Washington at the Brooklyn navy yard recently. The Selig-Tribune camera man inspected her at the same time, and now it's your turn for inspection. The kiddies, you know, will like to see her, too, so take 'em along.

HE COULDN'T AGREE WITH THE PRESIDENT

Favoring the organization of a "continental army" and finding himself totally unable to agree with President Wilson's new policy, Secretary Garrison resigned and has been temporarily succeeded by Major General Scott. Both of these men are presented to you in today's Selig-Tribune.

THESE ARE SOME OF THE FEATURES, BUT—

here are others: The enormous oil gusher of Humble, Tex., though blazing for one day only caused a conflagration which, pictured, is an awe-inspiring and fascinating spectacle; the vast flooded areas of Arkansas and other states that have prompted congress to send an investigation committee to ascertain what can be done to prevent similar catastrophes; "Tommy Atkins" at Vernon, France, finally summoned to active service, marching gallantly toward the front, "His not to make reply, his not to reason why. His just to do and die."; the fresh air schools at Winchester, Mass.—all of these, including the weekly "feature picture" which is vurr' funny this week.

CASE CLINCHED AGAINST ORPET, DETECTIVE SAYS

Student's Quest in Madison for Illegal Drugs Told by Friends.

UNDER STRAIN FOR WEEKS.

The results of a searching investigation into the immediate past of William Orpet, as it is known to his friends and acquaintances in Madison, Wis., were placed in the hands of State's Attorney Dady at Waukegan last night by Harry Beardsley, the Burns detective, who has spent the last five days prying into the young student's career in the university town.

Beardsley, it is believed by the prosecution, has forged the final links in a chain of evidence which will convict Orpet as the murderer of his sweetheart, Marian Lambert, in the woods near Lake Forest.

Sought Illegal Operation.

Among other things Beardsley said he established the fact that three months ago Orpet went to Carl Fischer, a fellow student in the journalism class at the University of Wisconsin and begged Fischer to find him a physician who would consent to perform an abortion.

The next day Fischer left word with Charles Hassinger, the drug clerk who afterward told of having sold Orpet a two ounce bottle, that he had done as Orpet requested.

"Tell Orpet," he said, according to the detective, "that I have a doctor who will fix him up."

When Hassinger was questioned in the office of Chief of Police Shaughnessy at Madison Beardsley asked for the name of this physician.

Doctor's Name Kept Secret.

"You needn't tell that," Chief Shaughnessy interrupted, hastily, and so the doctor's name was not learned.

"This physician was not the only one," said Beardsley. "For some time, I found, Orpet had been consulting several doctors in Madison, making inquiries about abortion operations and means to relieve the condition of a girl in whom he was interested.

"He made several of his fellow students his confidants about his troubles and talked with them repeatedly. With them he used the Lambert girl's name openly. Scores of the boys up there told me he has been restless and worried for weeks. He couldn't sleep nights, they said.

Bottle Purchase Established.

"As for his purchase of the bottle, we have that established absolutely. Another clerk in the drug store has corroborated Hassinger's story. This man remembered afterwards that Hassinger had asked him how much he should charge for an empty bottle, and that he had suggested 5 cents as a fair price.

"According to these clerks, Orpet asked first for an empty seven or eight grain capsule. He seemed disappointed when he found they hadn't one that large, but took the bottle instead."

On his return to Waukegan Beardsley, who has been employed by the city of Lake Forest, was formally retained by the state to help prepare for the prosecution.

Bottle Missing Link.

"I am going to devote myself now to looking for the bottle," he said. "We have reason to believe now that Orpet took it with him when he caught a train at Highland Park after Miss Lambert's death, and threw it out of the car window somewhere between Highland Park and Chicago. We are going to search every foot of the right of way.

"When we have the bottle we have everything."

An interesting side light on the prosecution's probable plan of campaign developed when Beardsley admitted categorically that letters from Marian Lambert to Orpet were placed in State's Attorney Dady's hands several days ago. Dady has told James H. Wilkerson, Orpet's counsel, that he has no such letters.

Corroborates "Tribune" Report.

"I found the letters in Madison," said the detective. "THE TRIBUNE printed the fact and it was denied, but it is true."

Neither Beardsley nor the state's attorney would give any intimation of what the letters contained.

PROSECUTOR HOGAN TAKEN OFF "SLAVE" CASE.

Order Shifts Assistant State's Attorney from De Luxe Saratoga Hotel Scandal.

Assistant State's Attorney Robert E. Hogan's investigation of the "de luxe white slave corporation," said to have headquarters in the Saratoga hotel, came to an abrupt end yesterday as far as Mr. Hogan is concerned.

To the surprise of the men who have been working with the assistant state's attorney, an order was issued in the morning transferring him from the Juvenile court, to which he has been assigned for two and a half years, to the Criminal court branch. Prosecutor Henry Eckhardt, it was announced, has been appointed to take his place.

Mr. Hogan ended his connection with the court by obtaining a year's sentence in the bridewell for Julius Levy, one of several men who had been in custody charged with enticing young girls.

LA GRANGE BOY MISSING.

Howard Merriam, 16, Said to Have Disappeared from Home on Tuesday.

Howard Merriam, 16 years old, has been missing from his home, 61 North Seventh avenue, La Grange, it is said, since early Tuesday morning. The La Grange police say they received no report of the boy's absence.

SEEKS TWO MISSING SISTERS

Anthony Alexandra of St. Paul Asks Mayor Thompson's Aid in Locating Kin.

Mayor Thompson's aid has been asked by a brother who is seeking to find his two sisters, from whom he has been separated since childhood. The mayor received the letter yesterday from Anthony Alexandra, 222 Pleasant avenue, St. Paul.

LAXITY BLAMED FOR DEATH.

Inquest Verdict Says Gas Company Employes Failed to Close Stopcocks.

Negligence by employés of the People's Gas Light and Coke company and others to shut the gas stopcocks after the frozen pipes had been repaired caused the asphyxiation of Mathias Berchem of 1051 North Franklin street.

MILWAUKEE INCOME TAX BIG.

Madison, Wis., Feb. 16.—A total income tax of $[illegible] has been assessed in Wisconsin and is now being collected according to announcement by the state tax commission today. Of this total, $2,460,361 is assessed against corporations and $1,[illegible] against individuals. Over 40 per cent of the total income tax assessed will be collected in Milwaukee county.

FLICKERINGS from FILM LAND

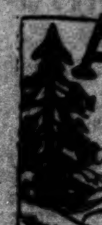
Moonshine Film Full of Thrills.

"THE TRAIL OF THE LONESOME PINE."
Presented by Lasky.
Released by Paramount.
Presented at the Strand.

June Tolliver, Judd's daughter....... Charlotte Walker
"Devil" Judd Tolliver..Theodore Roberts
John Hale ....Thomas Meighan
"Dave," Judd's nephew.......Earl Fox
Bob Heaton ....Dick Le Strange
Tompkins, Tolliver's spy..... Park Jones

Thomas Meighan and Charlotte Walker

BY KITTY KELLY.



A PHOTOPLAY mighty well cast, mighty well directed, and mighty well photographed—this is "The Trail of the Lonesome Pine," to my way of thinking. A lady in the audience confided to me that the picture didn't touch the book, that it was only the beginning of it, and that she was so disappointed.

I haven't read the book, but its devotees may be disappointed because, of course, the space limitations of the picture permit of only the most salient points. In this case, it seemed more important to show how the girl won her sweetheart, than to go into detail in regard to her later schooling.

Anyhow, here are enough coherent, thrillful situations, set into richly atmospheric woods and mountains to make a tale to hold and charm. Many things happen in this moonshining story and they happen with machine gun rapidity, the outcome being well hidden until very near the finale.

Along with the big things of situations are a multitude of little things of characterization, that make for picture joy for the discriminating viewers.

The cast in its individuals and in its types is picturesquely successful. Miss Walker has occasional inclinations toward the theatric, but her more emotional work is very appealing.

Thomas Meighan always makes a good hero, and Theodore Roberts, excelling in every character rôle he undertakes, here does so again as the stern, bristly chinned old moonshiner who cannot read and makes no bones about killing any man in his way.

Earle Fox, seen formerly in Mutual pictures, creates a very distinctive rôle as the futilely loving loyal servitor of the girl.

Though the clouds of solution hang very heavily, up near to the end, they clear away suddenly into reform and love. Even if it makes for general sweetness of things, however, it is a bit hard to credibilize old Tolliver's tail turning into the path regulated by the "revenuers," so realistically has he achieved his moonshining rôle. One rather suspects he maintains a private still for his own delectation anyhow.

It is distinctly a seeable picture, in addition to the playing and the well interlocked incidents, possessing beautiful and unusual scenic backgrounds.

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More Travel Films.

Following the advent of Burton Holmes into the Paramount program comes the announcement that his rival traveloger, Dwight Elmendorf, has incorporated a film corporation of his own and will send out his travel pictures in installments of two reels each. It is planned also to issue a series of nature study films.

Movie Melange.

The Billie Burke company, including Henry Kolker, as hero, and Flo Ziegfeld, as onlooking husband, left last week for Palm Beach, where some society scenes for the new Tribune serial will be made.

Webster Campbell, who has been flitting around from the New York Motion Picture company and the American, has now landed with the Vitagraph.

"The Birth of a Nation" was started to South America last week, beginning another circle around the globe.

Henry Otto, the director who celluloided "Undine," has gone to New York to work in the "U" studios there. He is, for one thing, going to direct King Baggot in a filmization of "The Honorable Peter Stirling," Paul Leicester Ford's stirring story of New York politics, mayors, and love affairs.

Colin Campbell, Selig director, has arrived from Los Angeles for final consultation in regard to the filming of "The Crisis," which is soon to happen, bringing the local studio back to life for the occasion. Bessie Eyton, who has never been in Chicago; Eugene Besserer, and Thomas Santschi are the players of the leading rôles who will soon be coming on for the production.

The Voice That Charms.

Antoinette Donnelly

IF girls realized how a harsh voice jars the nerves of the listener and serves to destroy the charm of the cleverest kind of conversation—well, there just wouldn't be any harsh voices, that's all. Girls nowadays realize that in the sum total of powers of charm every single item counts, and no one is deliberately going to destroy such a perfectly good asset as a pleasing voice.

A pleasant, well modulated voice is always a great attraction. If you have unconsciously gotten into the way of shouting when you are speaking, get out of it as soon as you can and try cultivating a soft, pleasing voice. It will make up for a lot of other defects.

You will find that the girl who is always anxious to air her views and monopolize the talking is the girl who speaks in harsh, aggressive tones. The cultured, well bred girl realizes the advantage of softly modulated tones, and even though her voice may not be a sweet one it is pleasing to listen to her, for there will be something soothing in her tones. In a soft, soothing voice there is charm as great as in liquid eyes or peach pink skin. Likewise a voice that is strident, hard, and loud is as repelling as blotched skin or bleary eyes.

A nervous giggling accompanying the conversation is the sin of the younger girl. Occasionally an older woman who wants to appear kittenish is guilty of this offense. It is distressing and is becoming to no one.

Endless, ceaseless chatter is something else to be avoided. How few women are good listeners! They will get along quite nicely as long as it is their turn to do the talking, but when some one else has a say a look of boredom is sighted on their features.

KEEP THE CORNERS OF YOUR MOUTH UP

A good talker is before everything else a good listener. The woman who has mastered the art of conversation doesn't monopolize the talking; quite the contrary. She leads it to a subject which she knows will interest her listener and then gives the listener a chance to express herself while she listens attentively. All of which goes into the making of a charming woman.

Antoinette Donnelly's Answers.

ANXIOUS: Kerosene can be applied to the scalp the same as a hair tonic. I think it would be much better to use a good hair tonic, as the odor of kerosene is most offensive. Tonic can be applied to the scalp by means of a medicine dropper. I have an excellent formula for hair tonic which I shall be glad to mail to you if you will send me a stamped, addressed envelope.

MRS. FRANK W.: You can greatly improve the condition of your neck by massaging it night and morning with a good skin food. Rotate the muscles firmly in a slanting direction from under the chin toward the shoulders and from the middle of the throat backward and upward toward the ear. Also practice deep breathing. I shall be glad to send you my instructions for deep breathing; also instructions for making the neck young and beautiful if you will send me a stamped, addressed envelope.

BLANCHE P.: Milk of magnesia will help to counteract acidity of the stomach. It should be taken at bedtime. Charcoal is also most beneficial taken after each meal.

FASHION'S BLUE BOOK

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Distinctive Frock of Check Blue Chiffon.

BY HELEN MERRILL EMERY.

THERE is no hard and fast rule to follow if one desires to be considered smart and well dressed. Beyond adhering to the fashionable silhouette and considering the little details which reflect fashion's changing mood women can more or less suit their own individualities, with the result that nowadays one does not see throngs of women all well dressed, all attractive, but each one the counterpart of the other.

The illustration depicts a charming afternoon frock of great distinction which is sure to win the favor of the fastidious woman. Fashioned of dark blue checked chiffon over flesh color charmeuse, the extremely wide skirt is held out by means of cordings and the effect is almost as though hoops were used.

Frills and ruffles appear as features of the newest models and carry out the effect of coquettish simplicity which arbiters of fashion aim at in the modes of 1916. Four little ruffles of plaited chiffon, each headed by three rows of shirred cords trim the skirt most effectively, while the irregular outline of the yoke adds further interest. The bodice crosses demurely, and in front overlaps a belt of dark blue velvet ribbon which ties in a flat bow in the back.

A tiny frill is the only attempt at trimming, but the double collar contributes much to the attractiveness of this wonderfully chic model. There are really two collars of white Georgette crêpe. The under one extends quite far down the back in a deep square, while the upper one is not so wide, and both have for decoration three blue and white crystal buttons with embroidered eyelets of blue silk. The long sleeves reveal the fashionable tendency toward fullness at the elbow, and there are three shirred cords above the close fitting cuffs.

Another attractive gown of beige chiffon over pink shows touches of bead embroidery in small white, green, and rose. One notices an increasing use of ribbon of all widths and descriptions and wide ribbon in a shade of absinthe green, edged with gold, is used to trim a gown of filmy chiffon in the same soft tone.

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Marion Harland's Helping Hand

By Marion Harland

"A FAITHFUL little newsboy sells papers at a small restaurant where I sometimes go. He is about 8 years of age and needs an overcoat badly, although when asked he stoutly maintains he isn't cold. I cannot afford to buy this little laddie an overcoat, but if a generous reader of the Corner has one her own son has discarded I shall be glad to pay expressage on it. MARION S."

We are more willing to try for the coat because he will not beg for it. The boy shows a spirit that will stand him in good stead in after life. It is the duty of the Corner to see that he is kept healthy and given a chance to gain a robust manhood. Roll up the coat your boy has outgrown and bundle it off by parcel post, when you have secured the friend's address. She will eat her luncheon with more zest when her small hero no longer shivers in calling "Pap-pers!"

Tanning Skins with Fur On.

"Seeing your request for a formula for tanning hides with hair on, I send one I cut out of a household paper: To tan skins with the fur on take two parts each of alum and salt and one part of saltpetre, all well pulverized. Clean the flesh and fatty matter off the skin and sprinkle it white with the mixture. Fold in the edges and roll up. Let it remain four days, then wash with clean water and then with soap and water. Pull and roll skin when drying it to make it soft. This is the important part of a good skin. Another recipe is to lay the wet skin on a smooth slab or a hard board, scrape with a dull knife until all loose flesh and film is removed, then wash off in soft water. Place in a glass or stone jar with one gallon of rain water or river water and an ounce of vitriol. Stir skin around in the jar so all parts are soaked. Let it steep in this for about half an hour; then take it out and work it with the hands until dry and soft. The more it is worked the softer the skin. F. M. H."

"The Battle of Tippecanoe."

"The Battle of Tippecanoe" was written by Miss Evaline Stern of Lafayette, Ind., and recited at the celebration of the dedication of the monument erected to commemorate the battle. The poem is a noble one. The author may be able to supply your correspondent with the desired verses. READER.

Easy Way to Clean Silver.

"For cleaning silver, put two teaspoons of baking soda in an aluminum pan and let it come to a boil. Drop the silver in and in a few seconds it will be as bright as new. You can secure the same results by putting a piece of aluminum ware in the pan with the soda and water. I should like to ask a question. Will some of your readers who have put eggs up for the winter in water glass tell me if those they put up are almost tasteless when cooked? Some of mine, when opened, have the yolk and white almost run together; in others the whites are watery, and on the whole are not attractive to the eye. Please tell me where the crock should be kept, and should the mixture smell, I might truly say, badly? Any light upon this subject will be appreciated by an old time housewife."

Some Boy May Want This.

"I have one sample shoe for a boy, size thirteen, right foot. It is a good shoe and have thought possibly you could find a boy who could use it. I shall be glad to mail it to any one who can use it. MRS. E. C."

Boys have a way of losing one shoe in the mud or elsewhere sometimes. And more than once we have had applications from one-legged cripples for odd shoes. It is, then, not so improbable as might seem at the first glance at your offer, that the gift may be heartily welcomed somewhere. Don't mail the shoe (or anything else but letters) to me! Wait until you get the address of one who needs it.

Belt for Needy Sufferer.

"I have an abdominal belt and should be glad to give it to any person who needs it. H. I."

Abdominal belts can never be to us "an embarrassment of riches." You will hear full soon who will be helped by that you put at our disposal. Thank you for not sending it direct to the dismayed conductor of a narrow Corner. Hold it until you get an answer from the one who needs it.

No Carpet on the Floor.

"We have three bare floors in our house, and two babies, one 3 years old and one 18 months. I should be glad to get some strips of carpet or a discarded rug. The strips may be sent by parcel post and I can pay it, I guess. If several would send me a yard or two apiece I could sew them together and make enough to cover all the floors, but I should be grateful for enough for one. I have a few quilt pieces to give to somebody who makes patchwork. MRS. T. C. W."

Another letter that would have appeared weeks ago but for the hindrances to which reference has been made. The petition appeals more powerfully to us now than when it was written, for the reality of winter is upon us. Will readers take up this case without delay? The need is real and urgent. We accept gratefully the ever welcome quilt pieces.

BRIGHT SAYINGS of the CHILDREN

"The Tribune" will pay $1 for each childish saying printed. The stories may be sent in either by children or their parents. The only condition is the story told must never have been printed in any magazine or paper. It's not possible to acknowledge or return unavailable contributions. Address bright sayings to Aunty Bee, "Tribune," Chicago.

It was Eugene's first day at school. He managed to do well for the first half hour, but finally walked up to the teacher and said: "I think I better go home now, 'cause I feel like I'm going to cry." J. H.

Two little girls—Lois, aged 4, and Marion, aged 2—had one little red chair between them with which to play. Oftentimes it happened that they both wanted it at the same time, and mother would act as referee. One day, however, Lois settled the matter herself, we thought, with quite a bit of diplomacy. Marion had the chair and Lois, wishing for it, exclaimed: "Oh, Marion, let's play I'm the papa and you're the baby! The papa has to hold the baby, you know, so you sit on my lap!" And so Lois got the chair. L. M.

At the luncheon table Helen was telling of a wonderfully tragic dream she had the night before, and was being attentively listened to. Marion felt herself neglected, and, waiting until Helen had finished, said: "Mamma, I had essel bad dream, too." "Well, dear, what was yours?" asked her mother. "Just exactly like Helen's," was Marion's answer. G. R. M.

THE TRIBUNE COOK BOOK

By JANE EDDINGTON

All recipes have been scientifically tested by Miss Eddington with current market materials and are indorsed by her.

There are both safe and unsafe acid foods or condiments and there are unsafe acid-forming foods. Their character is determined by their physico-chemical behavior.

Japanese Kumquat.

THE smallest member of the orange family is receiving various sorts of exploitation. One recipe for kumquat salad I have seen printed in two different places, word for word the same, but signed by different names. Kumquats, Malaga grapes, a red apple, and walnut meats are used in it. It is one of the half-dozen recipes for kumquats found in Good Housekeeping for February. Nine recipes for the use of this fruit will be found in "Fruit Recipes," by Riley M. Fletcher-Berry.

Those who used to eat orange peel without its being candied will like kumquats whole. The Chinese shops have them preserved whole. I have imitated these quite successfully by first cooking the kumquats until they could be pierced with a toothpick in twice their measure of water, then drained them, and afterwards cooked them ten minutes in a sirup made of part of the water in which they were cooked and twice as much sugar. These can be drained from sirup and rolled in granulated sugar for garnishing.

Quick Kumquat Marmalade.

What is quite equivalent to a marmalade can be made as follows: Wash kumquats and slice thin. Allow one-third cup of slices to two-thirds cup water and a whole cup of sugar. Stir over fire until sugar is dissolved, then cook until the slices are very transparent. Cook gently. These slices may be sugared and used for garnishing.

Doris Blake Says

Have you a perplexing love affair in which you need the counsel of a friend? Write to Doris Blake, care of "The Tribune." If you wish a personal reply send stamped and addressed envelope. Do you know a real love story—one that is "stranger than fiction"? "The Tribune" will pay $5 for every story published. Manuscripts will not be returned. Address Doris Blake, "The Tribune," Chicago.

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Real Love Stories

The "Frame-Up" Rescue.

THE story, which I am about to relate, happened a number of years ago when I was a first year student at one of the smaller and less widely known colleges. Four fraternities had established chapters at this school, and I felt that I had indeed been fortunate in having been asked to join the one of these, which was generally considered the best.

Among my fraternity brothers there

was one, much older, I greatly admired. We soon became the best of friends. He told me all his troubles, and, in return, I told him all mine. It seemed that there was, at the college, a young woman with whom he had fallen deeply in love. She was a classmate of his and had, consequently, known him for the past three years; but to all appearances they were as much strangers as they had ever been. She repulsed every advance he made, and the poor boy, whose heart was nearly breaking, was fast becoming the laughingstock of the whole college.

I made up my mind that this state of affairs should continue no longer; either I would destroy his love for her, or I would make her love him. Of course, the latter was the more preferable of the two remedies, and so I set out to bring it about. This is the method I used to accomplish my purpose:

I was an eager reader of popular novels in those days, and I did not see why the plot of some one of them could not be worked out in real life. I determined to try it. First, I made myself thoroughly familiar with the young woman's habits of mind. I learned that she abhorred anything in a man which gave the impression of cowardice, and to win her one must do something which would put him in the position of a hero.

Now it happened that there was near the school a large river, on which there could often be seen parties of students out boating. The young lady was an enthusiastic canoeist, although she could not swim, and it was upon this fact that I based my hope of success in my plan. I invited her to go rowing one afternoon, and just before leaving I sent a note by messenger to my friend, telling him to hide himself in the underbrush along the bank of the river, at Fay's point, the widest part of the stream, between the hours of 4 and 5, and await developments.

All went as I had hoped, and we reached Fay's point at about a quarter after 4. The current was not swift here, and I rowed lazily along until we reached the exact center of the stream. Then, suddenly, by a quick turn, I overturned the canoe, throwing us both in the water. I did not hesitate at all, but swam speedily toward shore, where I saw my friend about to plunge into the water. He was one of the best swimmers in the school, and so he had no difficulty in rescuing the young lady. Everything happened as I had hoped. Before the year was over the couple was engaged, and they are now happily married.

She, however, has never forgiven me for my seeming cowardice on that day. My friend and I keep the whole matter secret, and, if they were not in Canada at this time in a place where they will never see this, it would never be written.

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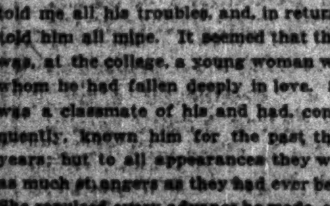

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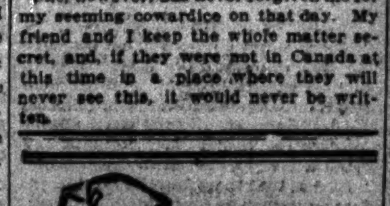

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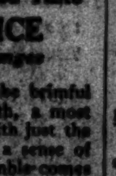

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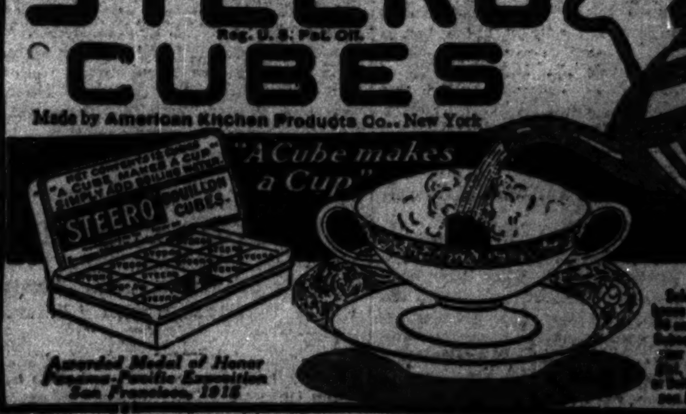

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Society and Entertainments

Exmoor to Have Ice Carnival—If—

PROVIDING it snows and freezes sufficiently, the Exmoor Country club at Highland Park will hold a winter sports carnival Saturday evening at the club. The pond has been lighted with many colored lights for night skating and the toboggan slide is in beautiful condition. It has grown to be quite the popular thing for the Exmoor members to spend Sunday mornings at the slide, and the spot has been nicknamed "the Exmoor chapel" by those who feel the bonds of church surround them on at least one day each week.

The W. A. Alexanders, the Richmond Deans, Charles Dean, the William Louderbachs, B. H. Marshalls, Henry K. Towner Jr., and many other members are among those planning for the gala event.

Mr. and Mrs. Marcus D. Richards of the H. F. Bar ranch, Buffalo, Wyo., are now the guests of Mr. and Mrs. John T. Richards of 1221 Madison Park. Mrs. Richards was formerly Miss Helen Field Gillette, a grandniece of the late Marshall Field of Hudson, N. Y. Their marriage took place last spring, Mrs. Henry Dibblee and many other Chicagoans going east for the event.

Since their marriage they have been living on the ranch, and their return there will be made in April.

The Social Service committee of the Children's Memorial hospital announces the official date of the annual hat sale for the hospital for March 2 instead of a day earlier as was the first announcement.

Invitations will be issued within a few days describing the affair as a "Sale Extraordinary," and the committee in charge, headed by Mrs. Harry Shearson, will increase their stock from the hats and parasols of last year to sport suits, sweaters, blouses, and negligees. Hats are to range in price from $3 to $30, and have been purchased for the most part on the eastern trip from which Mrs. Shearson has just returned.

Other members on the committee include Mrs. Charles W. Folds, Mrs. William P. Martin, Mrs. George H. Taylor, and Mrs. Howard Elting. The hours are from 9 until 6 o'clock. The sale is to be held in the crystal ballroom of the Blackstone.

Mrs. Truman Garrett Palmer of Irving Park has issued invitations for a colonial tea, to be given at her home, 4022 North Kedvale avenue, on the afternoon of Feb. 22, from 3 until 6 o'clock.

Mrs. Anna Louise Johnson announces the marriage of her daughter, Ruth Linne, to Harold Ralph Hotchkiss on Wednesday, Feb. 9, at Jamestown, N. Y. They will be at home after April 15 at 1705 Lakewood avenue.

Col. and Mrs. Davidson will receive the faculty and cadets of the Northwestern Military and Naval station at Academy Park, Lake Geneva, Wis., on Washington's birthday. There will be skating and dinner and dancing for the guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. McCulloch of 2640 Lake View avenue left yesterday for Havana by way of New Orleans. They will go to Palm Beach later, returning to Chicago April 1.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Eugene Kelly, late of Denver, Colo., and recently returned from Washington, D. C., will make their home at 1243 Judson avenue, Evanston.

Mr. and Mrs. George K. Owsley and Miss Georgiana Owsley of Glencoe have arrived at Castle Hot Springs, Ariz., for a prolonged stay.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred W. Upham of 1304 Astor street will leave for Nassau, Fla., on Saturday of this week.

Mrs. Luther Whitney Bodman and Mrs. Edward Whitney Bodman have issued cards for an afternoon reception on Monday, Feb. 28, from 4 to 6 o'clock, at the home of the former, 1549 North State parkway.

Invitations have been issued for the approaching marriage of Miss Hazel E. Levi, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Julius B. Levi of 5254 Michigan avenue, at the Hotel La Salle on Feb. 29.

Mr. and Mrs. Simon Rubel of 559 East Fifty-first street announce the engagement of their daughter, Flsa, to Elmer Eisner, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Eisner of 4937 Vincennes avenue.

Mrs. H. R. Sandler of 842 Oakley boulevard, who recently announced the engagement of her daughter, Frances, to Maurice Mandel, now announces the engagement of her daughter, Anna, to Samuel Schwartz.

The members of the Sunbeam league will give their annual breakfast at the La Salle hotel on Saturday, Feb. 19, at 11:30. Miss Persis Rollins, president of the league, who has been in California all winter, will preside. Miss Mildred Benson, Miss Nan Gore, Miss Mary Cushing, Miss Faye Hart, Miss Nettie Baumann, Miss Patrice Thomas, Miss Suzanne McGuinsie, Miss Mary Holabird, Miss Naomi Scanlan, Miss Elizabeth Harris, Miss Jean Reynolds, Mrs. Frank Engelhart, Mrs. Edward Younglove and Miss Ira Reynolds will act as hostesses.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. McCall of Kenosha, Wis., formerly of Chicago, announce the engagement of their daughter, Aline Ruth, to Lawrence M. Baldwin, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Baldwin of Kenosha.

Miss Anna Morgan announces a program of eighteenth century Dramatic Miniatures in the Long gallery, Fine Arts building, next Wednesday at 4 p. m. The four little dramas to be presented will be Fanny Burney, Peg Woffington, Beau Nash, and Kitty Clive.

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United Charities to Hold Annual Meeting.

The deferred annual meeting of the United Charities of Chicago will be held in the banquet hall, nineteenth floor of the Hotel La Salle, at 3 p. m. March 6.

Ten thousand invitations have been issued. The meeting will be entirely open, the general public being invited. In addition to the business of the day, which will be brief, according to Eugene T. Lies, general superintendent, there will be short speeches by the latter and David R. Forgan.

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At Virginia Hot Springs.

Hot Springs, Va., Feb. 16.—[Special.]—Mr. and Mrs. Walter S. Hallowell drove to Flag Rock this afternoon. Mrs. Craig Lippincott drove to Warm Springs and Mrs. Henry Galman rode over the open trail. Additions to the colony of New Yorkers today included Miss Blanche Bath, Walter H. Warren, Charles S. Francis, and F. S. Whelan. Mrs. Julia S. Walsh arrived here today from New York.

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Hotel Employes to Dance.

The third annual hotel employes' ball, under the auspices of the Chicago Bellmen's Protective association, will take place at the Palace Dansant academy, North Clark and Illinois streets, tomorrow night.

The marriage of Miss Allie Gayle Quayle, daughter of Bishop and Mrs. William A. Quayle of St. Paul, Minn., to Arthur C. Burch, son of Mr. and Mrs. William A. Burch of 1710 Asbury avenue, Evanston, will take place on Feb. 24 in St. Paul. The ceremony will be read by Bishop Quayle, assisted by the father of the bridegroom. The couple will be at home after a wedding trip to the West Indies at 624 Colfax avenue, Evanston.

Chicago to Have a Near War Wedding.

BY CINDERELLA.

WARS may come and wars may go, but weddings, one rather opines, will go on forever. Of course there will be all sorts and kinds of them. There is even going to be a quite near war wedding here in Chicago in April, when Russell Wilson weds Eleanor Freer, only child of the Archibald Freers.

The Freers have taken the great European war harder than almost anybody hereabouts, and Mr. Freer has packed, goodness knows! how many hundreds of tons of clothing and supplies this winter and sent them over to the needy, his wife and daughter helping.

So it is only natural, perhaps, that Eleanor Freer should have the very simplest kind of wedding that the law allows, no bridal chorus, no elaborate reception at the Lake Shore drive house of the Freers, and no magnificent trousseau, all monograms and real lace, and chiffon frills, and dozens of pairs of things, and French toilettes and hats. No, jamais de la vie!

It is all going to be plain as plain can be, after the bride's own wish; no luxuries of any kind, with so much suffering in the world!

Miss Freer is a Vassar girl, who has been brought up by her parents in continental simplicity. Her debut last year was most modest; she is always quietly dressed—it is her mind and kind heart that are conspicuous.

This year she has been writing in French to scores of wounded French soldiers letters to the lonely ones. Perhaps the French government will decorate her with the cordon bleu—no, that is for cooks—but on dit she cooks extremely well, too—that the family are not even afraid to eat her handiwork.

Speaking of cooks reminds me. A leading citizen who has a son frequently admonishes him to stay at home nights and learn the sterling qualities of his family. The other night the leading citizen was among those present at the justly famous dinner for the new archbishop, but his son remained placidly by the fireside.

The leading citizen made a terrible fuss over his sufferings when he returned home, and disturbed the household so much with his lamentations that his son remarked callously: "Why don't you practice what you preach, father, and stay home at night, instead of running around with archbishops?"

There's going to be a great theatrical excitement on Feb. 25 at the University of Chicago, when the English language and literature department gives four plays covering four centuries, from the twelfth to the sixteenth.

Mrs. Lyman Walton has a good deal if not all to do with the costuming, and has called into consultation Miss Clara Kretzinger and Lawton Parker, two artists of renown.

The titles of the plays are quite exciting, but unnecessarily so, as they say who know, that the process of expurgation has been so thorough, so conscientious and so utterly meticulous that there is hardly any of one play left, and not much of the others. They are called "The Sponsus," a liturgy of the twelfth century; "The Second Shepherd's Play," a mystery of the Towneley cycle; "The Nice Wanton" and "An Elizabethan Jig."

This is all in honor of Shakespeare's birthday, and Prof. Robert Lovett has charge of the seats, which cost $2 per.

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Benefit Nets Park Ridge School $5,000.

Nearly $5,000 was realized at the benefit performance for the Park Ridge School for Girls last night at Orchestra hall, according to Miss Grace Dixon, who had charge of the arrangements. Dwight Elmendorf gave an illustrated lecture on "Dalmatia and Montenegro."

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Lured to the Open.

White Sulphur Springs, W. Va., Feb. 16.—[Special.]—A return of springlike weather has lured every one to the open. The golfers have been out since early morning, and nearly every one has followed the trails. Mrs. W. S. M. Meade entertained a party of friends at luncheon at Elmhurst.

Novelties at Children's Party.

PALM BEACH, Fla., Feb. 16.—[Special.]—The postponed St. Valentine day party for the Palm Beach children was an event of great popularity this afternoon in the tea grove of the Poinciana. With their parents gathered around the youngsters played games on the dancing floor and had ice cream, cake, and cotillion favors passed to them at the tables.

Peggy Phipps, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Phipps of New York, won the potato race. James Cox Brady Jr. of Albany won the going to Jerusalem prize, and the fifty beautifully dressed little youngsters of society were led in the grand march by Henry L. Ewalt Bemis and Dorothy Stearns, children of Henry E. Bemis of Palm Beach and Frank B. Stearns of Cleveland.

New York Note.

New York, Feb. 16.—[Special.]—Athur Stanley Riggs, author, editor, and lecturer, delivered an address on the subject of "France: Its Romance, Beauty, and Art" this afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George J. Gould. It was in aid of disabled French soldiers and destitute women of France.

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MUSIC AND THE MUSICIANS

Gabrilowitsch at the Fine Arts.

BY ERIC DE LAMARTER.

HIS fifth recital of the "historical series" gave that able pianist, Ossip Gabrilowitsch, abundant opportunity for virtuoso display, for his program of yesterday afternoon at the Fine Arts theater included the Brahms "Handel" variations and Liszt's B minor sonata. It is gratifying to note that his was a "capacity" audience, and an audience responsive in cerebral fashion, excepting only a headlong dive of applause into the variations.

This little awkwardness had its parallel in the course of another of these recitals, for some irresponsible crank burst in upon the Weber "Invitation to the Waltz" with the same misdirected zeal. However, neither blundering courtesy had any deplorable effect on the remainder of the concert.

Something more than that would have been necessary to destroy the influence of Mr. Gabrilowitsch's playing of yesterday. The difficult, sober, masterly Brahms variations were read in superb style. The A major and E minor Intermezzos and the E flat major Rhapsodie completed an impression of the Russian pianist's conception of Brahms' music, and that impression was one of authority, of scholarship and sympathy. And in their technical aspects these works exploited his facility in striking fashion.

But the climactic point of the recital was his interpretation of the Liszt B minor sonata. It was a reading not of the heroic Busoni style, perhaps, but one more subjective and of richer emotional content. Some of the good brethren groan at the sight of this title on a program, but we must confess to an admiration fit for the violent ward in the hearing of such a performance. In its poetic aspects it was a beautifully symmetrical study, amply and dramatically set forth.

Mr. Gabrilowitsch's program further included the "Dance of the Gnomes," the "Liebestraum," and the F sharp minor etude. One more of this series of concerts remains to be heard—that of the modern composers, which is announced for March 7.

Arthur Ranous, barytone, gave a song recital at Central Music hall Tuesday evening, Johanna Hess-Burr, pianiste, assisting. MacDowell's two songs, "Thy Beaming Eyes" and "The Swan Bent Low to the Lily," Fogel's "Aedh Wishes for the Cloths of Heaven," Sidney Homer's "How's My Boy?" (a very unworthy song compared with others of Mr. Homer's creation) and the "Even Bravest Heart" aria from "Faust" served to define the polished if not elaborate scheme of Mr. Ranous' interpretations and the smooth quality of his tone. His program was expertly chosen to represent many phases of the literature and his audience was most cordial.

At the same hour Raoul S. Bonanno, barytone, assisted by Vittorio Falorsi, lecturer, and Mae Doelling, pianiste, ministered to a goodly audience at Thurber hall with a compound dissertation on Italian folk songs. The traits of his singing—for his tone, by itself, has excellent qualities—were somewhat confusing in that the things he did well he did very, very well. And the rest of the adage about the "little girl who had a little curl" follows quite pertinently.

Card Party to Aid Charity.

The philanthropy fund of the Rhode Island colony of the Illinois Colony club is to receive the proceeds from a luncheon and card party at the Hotel Metropole on Thursday, Feb. 24. Several hundred women are expected to attend. Mrs. Edward Sylvester Smith is chief of the colony and Mrs. Thomas R. Buckham, Mrs. J. T. Fitzpatrick, Mrs. I. T. Fitzpatrick, Mrs. Jay Emerson, Mrs. H. A. Leafgreen, and Miss Maud Cossitt are committee chairmen in charge of the affair.

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Southern Club Postpones Banquet

The Southern club announces that, owing to the unavoidable detention of John Temple Graves in the east, it has been decided to postpone the club's annual dinner, planned for tomorrow night, to a date early in March. A formal announcement will be issued the last week in February.

At Home for Women's Envoy.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Brackett Bishop will be at home Saturday evening from 8 to 11 at the Chicago Beach hotel for Mrs. Sarah Bard Field, envoy of the women voters' convention in San Francisco; Miss Elsie Hill of Vermont, and Miss Doris Stevens of Nebraska.

OBITUARY.

DR. AUGUSTUS H. MEATH, 56 years old, a west side physician, died at 2967 Colorado avenue yesterday. Dr. Meath was born in La Salle county, Illinois, and came to this city in 1882. He started to practice medicine shortly afterwards. Five sisters and four brothers survive him.

MRS. MARGARET ELIZABETH KELSO, 95 years old, died yesterday at the residence of her son, Charles G. L. Kelso, 5144 Dorchester avenue. Mrs. Kelso was the widow of William Henry Kelso. Burial will be at Bath, Ontario, her girlhood home.

DEATH NOTICES.

IN MEMORIAM.

CAIRNS—In loving memory of Maj. John J. Cairns, who passed away 3 years ago today, Feb. 13, 1916. WIFE, SON, MOTHER, AND SISTER.

ROSENBERGER—In sad but loving remembrance of Charles Arthur Rosenberger, who entered into his rest two years ago today, Feb. 17, 1914. May his soul rest in peace.

SPURLOCK—Harriet Spurlock. In sad but loving remembrance of our beloved daughter and sister, who passed away one year ago today, Feb. 17, 1915. From loving mother, sisters, and brothers.

OBITUARY.

THEOPHILUS WYLIE HAMILL died on Tuesday at Biloxi, Miss. He was born in 1845, and had been a resident of Chicago since 1852, with the exception of the last few years. He was always active in business until the last five years. Since then he has spent most of his time in travel, and was on his way from California to Tarpon Springs, Fla., stopping at Biloxi. He is survived by his daughter, Mrs. James Alexander Waller; his son, Dr. Ralph C. Hamill, and his brother, Ernest A. Hamill. The funeral will be in Chicago.

WILLIAM G. DESHLER, a banker of Columbus, O., died yesterday at his residence in his eighty-ninth year. He was at one time closely associated with President Lincoln. He was frequently called to Washington to assist in the councils of the government and was prominent in reorganizing the currency. He is survived by a widow and five children, two of whom, Mrs. Rensselaer W. Cox and Mrs. Charles W. Brown, are of this city.

ANTON CARLSON, a mason contractor, who retired five years ago, is dead at his residence, 3418 Franklin boulevard, aged 79 years. He was born in Sweden. He came to Chicago forty-eight years ago, and had been engaged in the contracting business for nearly thirty years. Mr. Carlson is survived by five daughters—Mrs. William McCullough, Mrs. W. E. Prendergast, Mrs. Charles Johnson, Agnes and Lulu Carlson.

DR. D. ARTHUR HUGHES died on Monday at his residence, 10521 Longwood drive. Dr. Hughes was a member of the American Veterinary Medical association, Chicago Veterinary association, Boulevard lodge No. 882, A. F. & A. M., and of the faculty of the Chicago Veterinary college. He was a graduate of Cornell university. The funeral will be from his late home today at 2 p. m.

RODNEY A. LAVERTY died yesterday at 4730 Grand boulevard in his fifty-eighth year. He had lived in Chicago for the last thirty-eight years, during which time he was engaged in the real estate business. He was born in Worcester, Mass. He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Mary Laverty, and three daughters, Sadie and Hazel Laverty, and Mrs. John Farson of New York.

GEN. PERCY DANIELS, former lieutenant governor of Kansas and a veteran of the civil war, died last night at Bethany, Okla., aged 75.

DEATH NOTICES.

IN MEMORIUM.

HUTTON—In loving remembrance of Will J. Hutton, who died Feb. 17, 1903.

BERNERO—Domenico Bernero, Feb. 15, aged 22 years, beloved son of Mr. and Mrs. Antonio Bernero, brother of David and Anna Bernero, Mrs. Frank Orlandi, Mrs. William A. Giraldi, Mrs. Augusta Carnotte, and Mrs. Frank Locel. Funeral Thursday, Feb. 17, at 9 a. m., from late residence, 4601 W. Madison-st., by autos to Our Lady of Sorrows church, where high mass will be celebrated, thence by cars to Mount Carmel via I. C. R. R., Randolph-st.; train leaves 12:15. For seats call Superior 1956.

BROWN—Mary L. Brown, Feb. 15, 1916, at her residence, 318 N. Normal-pkwy. Beloved wife of Sylvester M. and mother of Harold B. Services Friday, Feb. 18, 2:30 p. m., at Oakwoods chapel. Los Angeles, Cal., and Wilkesbarre, Pa., papers please copy.

BURCHETT—Chester E. Burchett, Feb. 16, 1916, beloved son of Mrs. Catherine Burchett and the late Frank H. Burchett, brother of Arthur, Bertram, Mrs. R. C. Wales, Jessie and Ruth Burchett. Funeral from late residence, 7544 Langley-av., Friday at 10 a. m. Burial at Arlington.

CLARK—Mary Clark (nee Kelly), beloved wife of Louis T. Clark, fond daughter of Catherine (nee O'Brien) and the late Philip Kelly, sister of Rose Kelly. Member of St. Cecilia court No. 22, W. C. O. F. Funeral Friday, Feb. 18, at 9:30 a. m., from her late residence, 6126 Rhodes-av., to St. Anselm's church, where high mass will be celebrated. Automobiles to Mount Olivet. For seats call Yards 884. Members of St. Cecilia court No. 22, W. C. O. F., will meet at home of late Sister Clark on Thursday evening at 8 o'clock to arrange for funeral. M. E. TWIGG, Rec. Secy.

CLAUSSEN—Edward Wright Claussen, son of Edward J. and Mabel Claussen, nee Timmerman, Feb. 15, 1916, aged 9 months and 10 days. Funeral Thursday at 1 p. m., from parents' residence, 254 Lincoln-av., Dolton, Ill., at 2 p. m., Dolton M. E. church, thence by carriages to Oakwoods. For seats call Dolton 707.

DEWEY—Electa E. Dewey in Pasadena, Cal., Jan. 28. Services and burial will be held at Graceland chapel on Tuesday, Feb. 22, at 11 a. m. Friends and relatives are invited to attend.

FLANAGAN—Joseph T. Flanagan, Feb. 15, 1916, beloved son of Judge P. B. and Annie G. Flanagan, nee Martin, fond brother of Mary F. Evans, John M., Bernard J., and Kathleen M. Flanagan. Funeral Saturday, Feb. 19, 1916, from his late residence, 3801 W. Garfield-blvd., at 9:30 a. m., to St. Basil's church, where solemn requiem high mass will be celebrated; thence by autos to Mount Olivet.

GENOAR—Albert August Genoar, age 1 year 8 mos., beloved son of Albert and Minnie, nee Artmann, brother of Bernice. Funeral from late residence, 418 So. Francisco-av., Thursday, Feb. 17, 1 p. m., autos to St. Joseph cemetery.

GIBBON—Sarah Gibbon, Feb. 16, age 61 years, of 623 Oakdale-av., late of Dublin, Ireland, fond mother of Alfred and Emelie Gibbon. Funeral Saturday at 3 p. m. from chapel, 3419 N. Clark-st., by autos to Rosehill. Boston, Liverpool and Dublin papers please copy.

HAMILL—Theophilus Wylie Hamill, father of Mrs. James Alexander Waller and Dr. Ralph C. Hamill, at Biloxi, Miss., Tuesday, Feb. 15. Notice of funeral later.

HAMMOND—Dr. Jabez Dean Hammond, 2146 Lincoln-pkwy., West, husband of Margaret M. Hammond. Services strictly private owing to scarlet fever in family. Kindly omit flowers. New York papers please copy.

KELSO—Margaret Elizabeth Kelso, nee Daws, widow of the late William Henry Kelso, Feb. 15, 1916, in her 95th year. Short service at the residence of her son, Charles G. L. Kelso, 5144 Dorchester-av., Thursday, 3 p. m. Interment at Bath, Ontario.

JOHNSON—Morgan O. Johnson, age 78 years, Feb. 16. Funeral from his late residence, 6351 Greenwood-av., Friday at 2 p. m.; interment at Mount Greenwood cemetery, by auto.

DEATH NOTICES.

LAVERTY—Rodney A. Laverty, Feb. 16, beloved husband of Mary, nee Grant, and father of Sadie and Hazel Laverty and Mrs. John Farson of New York. Funeral Friday at 9 a. m. from late residence, 4730 Grand-blvd., to Church of Corpus Christi, where high mass will be celebrated, thence by autos to Mount Olivet. For seats call Yards 708.

LEDERER—Theresa Lederer, Feb. 16, beloved wife of Simeon Lederer, and mother of Mrs. Minna Reis and Helen Lederer. Notice of funeral later. New York papers please copy.

M'ARTHUR—Kathryn G. McArthur, daughter of Mary, sister of Mae, John, and Joseph, Feb. 15. Funeral Friday, Feb. 18, 10 a. m., from late residence, 111 S. Kedzie-av., to Our Lady of Sorrows' church; automobiles to Mt. Carmel.

MANBAUGH—Mary P. Manbaugh, age 53 years, wife of William Manbaugh. Funeral services Thursday at 2 p. m. at late residence, 6859 Prairie-av. Interment Mount Greenwood.

MATHENY—James M. Matheny, beloved son of Julia E. Vinnedge and devoted husband of Elsie Matheny, passed away at St. Anne's hospital Feb. 16. Member of Modern Woodmen of America, No. 11,463, Illinois camp; "I Will" lodge No. 1169, M. W. W.; United Commercial Travelers. Funeral services at the residence of his mother, Mrs. Vinnedge, 2150 W. Monroe-st., Friday, 2 p. m. Graceland.

MORRIS—Henry Morris, aged 61, at Warrenville, Ill. Son of the late Thomas and Eliza Morris of Lake Emily, Wis. Funeral Thursday at 2 p. m. from vault at Forest Home.

NEWMAN—Andrew Newman, beloved husband of the late Bridget (nee O'Dowd), father of Maude, James, Andrew and Hannah. Funeral Friday, 9 a. m., from funeral chapel, S. Halsted-st., to Visitation church, where high mass will be celebrated; autos to Mount Olivet. Please omit flowers. Funeral private.

PELTON—Stanley F. Pelton, Feb. 16, aged 14 months, son of Thomas D. and Emmeline H. Funeral Friday, Feb. 18, at 1 p. m., from 6214 Langley-av. to Mt. Greenwood.

BILLINGTON—Theodore F. Billington, Feb. 16, 1916, beloved husband of Rose A., nee Bates. Funeral services at late residence, 519 N. Curtis-st., Friday, Feb. 18, at 2 p. m. Autos to Forest Home.

RIDER—George P. Rider, at Leadville, Colo., Feb. 11. Funeral services at 2:30 Thursday, Feb. 17, from 730 Central-st., Wilmette.

RITZWOLLER—Eugene Max Ritzwoller, Feb. 13 at Biloxi, Miss., beloved son of M. H. Ritzwoller, brother of Mrs. William Nussbaum and Earl H. Funeral private. Peoria, Ill., papers please copy.

SANNER—Mrs. Coralie Sanner, Feb. 15, 1916. Dearly beloved wife of Ernest Sanner. Funeral notice later.

SCHULENBERG—Frank C. Schulenberg, Feb. 15, at Milwaukee, Wis., beloved husband of Laura, nee Grainer. Services at Graceland chapel Thursday, Feb. 17, at 2:30 p. m. Autos.

SPAULDING—Hanora Spaulding, beloved mother of Thomas J. Spaulding, Mrs. Mary McHenry, Mrs. Ella Akin, and William G. Spaulding, at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. F. A. Akin, 443 E. 34th-st. Funeral notice later.

WHITE—Emma J. White, Feb. 16, sister of Fred G. White, residence 10 Waverly-ct. Funeral services at the undertaker's chapel, 1502 Madison-st., Friday, 2 o'clock, autos to Forest Home.

WIND—Henry Wind, beloved husband of Mamie Wind, nee Hill, [illegible] late John Wind, brother of Mary, Andrew, Charles, Mattie, Harry, Mabel, John, and the late Arthur Wind. Funeral Sunday, Feb. 20, at 2 p. m., from his late residence, 1049 Byron-st., by autos to Mt. Olive cemetery. Member of Standard lodge No. 873, A. F. & A. M., Allyn K. Capron Jr. camp No. 6, Spanish-American War Veterans, Garfield Park Aerie No. 1118, F. O. E., and Chicago Newspaper Web Pressmen's union.

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IRIS 5737 Chicago Av. "The Little Lady Across The Way," and Another.

MISCELLANEOUS

ASCHER BROS.
LAKESIDE 4730 Sheridan Rd. Mat. & Eve. BESSIE BARRISCALE, in "HONOR'S ALTAR" 5 Acts Also Triangle-Keystone comedy.
CALO Clark & Balmoral 2:30 & 4; 6:45 to 11 P. M. Ph. Rav. 5867 BESSIE BARRISCALE, in "HONOR'S ALTAR" 5 Acts Also "THE MOVIE STAR"
TERMINAL Lawrence & Spaulding. 6:45 to 11 P. M. VIOLA DANA in "THE INNOCENCE OF RUTH"—5 Acts Also a Ripping 2-Act Comedy.
PRESIDENT 59th and Calumet. Mat. and Eve. BESSIE BARRISCALE, in "HONOR'S ALTAR" 5 Acts Also a Good Two Reel Comedy.
COSMOPOLITAN Halsted & 79th Sts. Eve. 6:45 to 11 P. M. LAURA HOPE CREWS in "BLACKBIRDS," 5 Acts. Others and Movie Star Pennants.
FROLIC 55th and Ellis. 6:30 P. M. "Mayor William Hale Thompson Will Speak Today Doors Open at 6:30 P. M. NO ADMISSION WILL BE CHARGED
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CONSUMERS CO. NET EARNINGS SHOW DECLINE

Profits of $304,500 for 1915 Equal to 5.07 Per Cent on Common Stock.

Under conditions described by President Upham as generally unfavorable, net earnings of the Consumers company for the fiscal year ended Dec. 31, 1915, were $304,500, as compared with $461,475 for the previous year. The profits are equal to 5.07 per cent on the outstanding $6,000,000 common stock.

The decrease in gross was from $3,901,487 in 1914 to $3,298,521, or 15.7 per cent. Unusual weather conditions as well as labor troubles figured in the slump.

Detailed Financial Statements.

The statements as issued yesterday follow:

INCOME ACCOUNT.

Years ended Dec. 31—	1915.	1914.
Gross profits	$3,298,521	$3,901,487
Teaming costs	1,104,822	1,340,224
Balance	$2,193,699	$2,561,263
Operating expenses	1,027,330	1,097,579
Balance	$1,166,369	$1,463,683
Deprect. repairs	491,205	588,508
Balance	$675,163	$875,175
Advertising	50,887	59,191
Net earnings	$624,276	$815,984
Interest charges	319,775	354,509
Bal. for dividends	$304,500	$461,475
Preferred dividends	276,416	277,161
Surplus	$28,084	$184,314
Previous surplus	337,668	153,354
Total surplus	$365,752	$337,668

BALANCE SHEET—ASSETS.

	1915.	1914.
Plant, etc., good will	$15,276,860	$14,886,579
Sinking fund	269,278	210,752
Cash	288,030	381,811
Receivables	2,141,584	2,298,170
Inventory	1,606,557	1,543,741
Investments	21,157	21,000
Accrued interest	18,767	15,128
Knickerbocker bonds in treasury	200,000	200,000
Deferred charges	290,703	205,584
Totals	$20,122,040	$19,715,718

LIABILITIES.

	1915.	1914.
Preferred stock	$3,948,300	$3,948,300
Common stock	6,000,000	6,000,000
Real est. pur. def. notes	93,200	....
Knickerbocker bonds	4,500,000	4,500,000
First mtg. 6s	1,400,000	1,450,000
[illegible]	1,440,052	962,755
Accts. payable	1,274,045	1,492,604
Current liabilities	358,876	355,456
Reserves	717,316	620,664
Surplus	365,751	337,668
Totals	$20,122,040	$19,715,718

President Upham's Remarks.

In discussing the report President Upham said:

"It has been a year of most unusual weather—the warmest February since 1882 and the warmest April in the history of the weather bureau, and the coldest May, June, July, and August since 1875. The building trades strike caused a complete tieup in our building material department for three months. These unusual conditions could not help affecting our gross business for the year, our ice business alone showing a decrease of 40 per cent. This appears, however, to have been the condition all over the United States.

"Our net earnings are not as large as during the preceding year, although we have successfully earned the interest on our Knickerbocker ice bonds, our debenture bonds, have retired $50,000 of our debentures and $74,000 of our Knickerbocker bonds, and have earned and paid the dividend on our $4,000,000 of preferred stock. We have also added $87,000 to our reserves.

New Plants Are Erected.

"The company's established policy of maintaining its plants in the best physical condition has been followed during the last year. In addition we have expended for new properties and erection of artificial ice plants $440,000—the largest expenditure being for the new plant at Fiftieth avenue and Lake street, with an artificial ice capacity of 40,000 tons per annum and coal storage capacity of 50,000 tons, together with a well equipped material yard.

"We have rebuilt our Hermitage avenue plant and our Lowe avenue plant, thereby making a material increase in the output of our artificial ice at these plants and we have purchased the Mutual Ice company's plant, with an output of 24,000 tons per annum. I am pleased to report that all our physical property is in excellent condition, and I expect a minimum charge for maintenance and for new properties during the coming year."

Continental Motor's Melon.

The directors of the Continental Motor Manufacturing company at a meeting in Detroit, Mich., yesterday increased the capital stock of the company from $2,500,000 to $5,000,000. A stock dividend of 100 per cent was declared.

General Motors Co. Report.

The General Motors company reports for the six months ended Jan. 31, 1916, as follows:

	1916.	1915.
Cars and trucks sold	62,408	31,606
*Gross sales	$74,000,000	$36,817,324
Undivided profits	13,000,000	4,446,524

*Estimated to Jan. 31, 1916.

After deducting $224,082 for preferred dividends the balance of undivided profits for the six months, $12,475,918, is equal to 75.8 per cent on $16,506,783 common stock, or at an annual rate of 151.0 per cent, compared with 51.3 per cent for the year ended July 31, 1915.

Pressed Steel Car Annual.

The Pressed Steel Car company reports for the year ended Dec. 31, 1915, as follows:

	1915.	1914.
Gross sales	$17,[illegible]	$12,[illegible]
Total deductions	16,167,[illegible]	12,[illegible]
Net profits	$1,[illegible]	$[illegible]
Preferred surplus	[illegible]	[illegible]
Total surplus	$[illegible]	[illegible]

Kenefick Zinc Corporation.

Raymond, Pynchon & Co., acting as bankers and syndicate managers, announce they have closed a syndicate which has taken over a large block of the common shares of the Kenefick Zinc corporation. As the syndicate was largely oversubscribed, the bankers have closed the books and shortly will announce a public offering of the shares.

The Kenefick Zinc corporation is chartered in the state of New York and has a capital stock of 5,000 shares, 7 per cent preferred, of a par value of $100, and 200,000 shares of common stock of no par value. The concern has no bonded or floating debt. The president of the corporation says the company now controls four zinc properties, each equipped with modern mills, and will at once acquire additional properties.

Foresees Earnings of $1,000,000.

The president estimates 1916 net earnings, taking $100 a ton for zinc concentrates as a basis, at around $1,000,000. Dividends on the common are expected to begin in March. The company's product was sold last week at $125 a ton. On the basis of net earnings of $1,000,000 a year the net for the common shares would be $965,000.

The charter provides that after the preferred dividend and at least 1 cent a share on the common 50 per cent of the remaining earnings shall be applied to the retirement of the preferred shares at par. After deducting 50 per cent of the net under this provision there would remain an amount equal to about 24 per cent on the 200,000 shares of common. Less than two years' profits would retire the preferred.

Dividends Declared.

Description—	When payable.	Stock of record.
Cub.-Am. Sugar, 1¾, pfd.	April 1	March 15
Do, 2½, com.	April 1	March 15
Nat. En. & Stmp. 7, annual pfd.	Quart.	....
Mackay Co.'s 1¼, com. q.	....	....
Do 1, pfd q.	....	....
Temiskaming Mng. 3 cts.	March 15	Feb. 18
Maine Central $1.50, init. new pfd.	March 1	Feb. 15
Am. Coal of Algn. 2, semi.	March 1	Feb. 29
Do, 2, extra	March 1	Feb. 29
Ins. Ex. Bldg. 1¾, pfd.	March 1	Feb. 19
Cit. Gas of Indpls. 3, semi.	March 27	....

Railroad Earnings.

CENTRAL VERMONT.

For December—	1915.	Increase.
Total oper. rev.	$343,666	$51,786
Net oper. rev.	88,394	39,611
Operating income	67,743	39,061
From July 1 to Dec. 31—		
Total oper. rev.	2,078,070	90,515
Net oper. rev.	517,076	145,614
Operating income	424,006	146,625

DENVER AND SALT LAKE.

For December—		
Total oper. rev.	$164,716	$21,142
Net oper. rev.	30,946	*12,850
Operating income	26,988	*14,666
From July 1 to Dec. 31—		
Total oper. rev.	1,076,828	122,854
Net oper. rev.	280,286	48,608
Operating income	232,720	28,253

GEORGIA SOUTHERN AND FLORIDA.

For first week of February—		
Gross	$48,965	$7,264
From July 1—		
Gross	1,400,648	84,725

PANAMA RAILROAD.

For year ended June 30, 1915—		
Gross earnings	$2,737,037	*$1,780,240
Operating expenses	867,429	*184,097
Net revenue	170,608	*1,646,942

*Decrease.

BOSTON AND ALBANY.

For quarter ended Dec. 31 net income of $485,195, compared with a deficit of $162,686 in the corresponding quarter of 1914.

Chicago Stock Exchange News.

At the meeting of the governing committee of the Chicago stock exchange the following securities were listed:

Avery company common stock issued and outstanding, $2,412,500; preferred stock issued and outstanding, $1,000,000. Placed on regular list.

Commonwealth Edison company additional issue, $4,203,900 capital stock, making total issued and outstanding $45,626,900. Placed on regular list.

Chicago Railways company first mortgage 5 per cent bonds of 1927, additional issue of $1,000,000, making total issued and outstanding $53,955,000. Placed on regular list.

Chicago Union Station company first mortgage 4½ per cent gold bonds, dated July 1, 1915, due July 1, 1963. Issued and outstanding, $30,000,000. Placed on unlisted list.

The following were elected to membership: James S. Marsh, William Mc M. Rutter, William L. Meffert.

Pittsburgh Plate Glass.

The Pittsburgh Plate Glass company's annual report shows earnings of $2,201,844, dividends of $1,588,187, depreciation of $542,106, and surplus of $71,101.

Money and Exchange.

Money rates in Chicago steady at 3½@4 per cent on collateral, 3@4 per cent on commercial paper, and 4@4½ per cent over the counter. New York exchange sold at 10c discount. Chicago bank clearings were $64,914,348.

Chicago Securities.

Chicago stocks were but moderately active. Commonwealth Edison developed some weakness, selling off from 144 to 143. No reason was noted for the decline except that the price had been advanced by speculative buying. Public Service issues were steady. Bonds were fairly active.

NEWS OF THE FINANCIAL WORLD.

The remarks of President Charles V. Nash to the stockholders of the General Motors company were not reassuring to the automobile trade. He said: "While operations and earnings for the first six months of the fiscal year show an unusual gain and the demand for automobiles has never been so great, I desire to call attention to conditions which, in my opinion, will have an influence over the next six months. The situation in the material market is unusual, and I believe we shall experience difficulty in securing sufficient materials to operate our plants to their capacity. There is also at present a shortage of freight cars to move our product, and it is not likely that this condition will improve for some time. Owing to these reasons, we can hardly expect the next six months to yield such gains in profits and production."

The market opened under the influence of a quick decline in Canadian Pacific, started by the introduction of a bill in the Canadian parliament providing for the absorption by the state of 25 per cent of earnings of corporations after an allowance of 7 per cent to the corporation. With considerable uncertainty existing over prospective diplomatic relations, the market sympathized with the weakness in Canadian Pacific, which lost about $4 per share. At the close sentiment was disturbed and the general tone weak. Final activity was in moderate volume. If anything, sentiment for the moment was bearish.

Announcement comes from Lansing, Mich., that C. L. Glasgow of the Michigan state railroad commission has notified the Consumers Power company of Grand Rapids that it must not advertise its bonds as having been approved by the state railroad commission. This action is taken as a result of the ruling by the attorney general, who informed Commissioner Glasgow that it was "highly improper and misleading for companies to advertise their wares as having received the approval of the state board."

The decline in American Tobacco common to a record low price since the disintegration of the old tobacco combination is a reflection of the belief that the statement of earnings to be issued next month will be unsatisfactory. It is announced, however, that the figures will show the full dividend earned on the common stock, with a slight surplus. It is also declared the question of a cut in the common dividend has not been taken up.

For 1915 earnings of the Holland-Amerika line are estimated at about $4,800,000, or 100 per cent of the company's capitalization of 12,000,000 guilders. The International Mercantile Marine, through two of its subsidiaries, owns 25 per cent of the capital stock of the Holland-Amerika, and should receive as its share of last year's profits $600,000. The previous year it received $204,000.

Positive statements are made that advances in copper dividends in March have already been arranged and that Anaconda then will be placed on a 6 per cent dividend basis. Dividends on stocks of other copper producing companies, according to these statements, will also be increased at the March meetings.

On the basis of the Canadian government's proposed tax on capital employed in Canada, it is estimated in Wall street that the amount to be paid by the International Nickel company will be about 1 per cent on the outstanding common stock. Officials declined to make any criticism on the proposed tax, which they consider will be trivial.

The $7,500,000 6 per cent, two year notes of the Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific railway, which fell due yesterday, were extended for six months. Notes on which the holders are unwilling to accept extension are being taken over by William A. Reid & Co., who purchased the issue two years ago.

At the annual meeting of the United Verde company George Kingdon and H. Kenyon Birch succeeded Harold Pierce and W. J. Maloney as directors. The annual statement showed cash resources of about $500,000.

The National Enameling and Stamping company for its last fiscal year showed profits of $1,909,861, against $836,851 in 1914. The surplus after dividends was $315,468, compared with a deficit of $49,504 in 1914.

Directors of the Inspiration Consolidated Copper company will meet next Thursday to consider the question of a dividend. Wall street thinks an initial distribution of $1 quarterly will be ordered.

The Braden Copper company is said to be letting contracts for the steel and machinery for improvements to be made at its property at Rancagua, Chile, at a cost of approximately $10,000,000.

Stockholders of the Avery company reelected retiring directors with the exception of F. J. Johnson and Henry Robertson, who were succeeded by C. W. Mathews and A. Y. Bartholomew.

Earnings of the Mackay companies for the year ended Jan. 31, 1915, are reported to have been 5.49 per cent on the common stock, against 5.42 per cent in the previous year.

Net profits of the Reo Motor Car company for the fiscal year ended Aug. 30, 1915, were $3,500,000, or 60 per cent on the $6,000,000 capital stock.

The strength in Pierce Oil corporation stock is attributed to the expectation that earnings for 1915 will show an unusual gain.

The Standard Oil company of California advanced the price of fuel oil 5c a barrel at all Pacific coast points.

CHICAGO STOCK EXCHANGE.

YESTERDAY'S SALES AND RANGE OF PRICES.

	Shares.	High.	Low.	Close.	Net chge.
Am. Radiator	1	395	395	395	— 2½
Am. Shipbldg. pf	20	81	81	81	— ½
Chi. Pneu. Tool	5	73¼	73¼	73¼	+ ¼
Chi. Title & Tr.	50	230	229	230	....
Com. Edison	200	143⅜	143	143	— 1
Deere Co. pfd	62	96¼	96	96	— ½
Diam. Match	70	106⅛	106	106	— ½
Lindsay Light	20	10	9⅞	10	....
M. Ward pfd	100	113⅝	113⅝	113⅝	— ⅝
Nat. Carbon	50	185	185	185	+ 2
Public Service	85	112½	112½	112½	....
Do pfd	62	104	103½	104	+ ½
Sears-Roebuck	27	180	179½	180	....
Stewart-Warn.	851	87½	86¼	86¼	— 1½
Swift & Co.	162	126½	126¼	126⅜	+ ⅛
Union Carbide	2	174½	174½	174½	— 1½

BONDS.

$1,000 Metropolitan Elevated 1st 4s .. 73
5,000 Union Elevated R. R. 5s 71

BAROMETER OF THE MARKET

Average of Closing Prices of Twenty Leading New York Stocks

Wednesday, Feb. 16	88.84
Tuesday, Feb. 15	89.43
Net loss for the day	.59
Year ago, day of week	72.93

The twenty stocks are: Anaconda Copper, American Car and Foundry, American Smelting, American Telephone, Atchison, Baltimore and Ohio, Brooklyn Rapid Transit, Chesapeake and Ohio, Erie, Great Northern preferred, New York Central, Northern Pacific, Pennsylvania, Reading, Southern Pacific, Southern Railway, St. Paul, American Sugar, Union Pacific and United States Steel.

U. S. TREASURY STATEMENT.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 16.—The following is a statement of the condition of the United States treasury on Feb. 15:

Receipts to date this year	$481,508,661
Receipts to date last year	455,328,241
Increase	26,180,420
Outgo over income this year	54,074,682
Outgo over income last year	92,760,500
Decrease	38,686,182
Balance general fund	104,087,412
Balance previous day	107,062,225
Decrease	2,994,813

BRITAIN BEST CUSTOMER; FRANCE AND CANADA NEXT.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 16.—The United Kingdom of Great Britain is using now three times as much American products as any other foreign country, and is absorbing more than one-third of all American exports.

Export trade figures made public today by the department of commerce show that British purchases of all kinds in the United States last year amounted to $1,191,000,000.

France holds second place among America's customers with purchases last year of about half a billion; Canada is third with $344,000,000, and Italy fourth with a quarter of a billion.

BOSTON CURB QUOTATIONS.

	Bid.	Asked.		Bid.	Asked.
Alvara	73c	$1.00	Majestic	1⅛	1⅝
Bay St. Gas	20	31	Met. Metal	40	42
Bingham	8⅝	9⅝	McKinley D	45	50
Bohemia	2	3⅝	Mines Am.	2⅝	3
Bos. & Ely	45	50	New Baltic	3⅝	4
Bos. & Mont.	48	49	New Corn.	12	12⅝
Butte & L.	52	55	Nev. Doug.	82	85
Butte & N. Y.	2⅝	3	Ohio Cop.	18	24
Calaveras	3⅛	3½	Oneco	90c	$1.00
Chief Cons.	1⅛	1½	Onondaga	1⅝	2
Cons. Ariz.	1⅛	1⅝	Raker & H.	5⅛	5⅝
Cons. Cop.	1⅝	1⅞	S. W. Miami	1⅝	2
Cortez	60	70	Stewart	50	55
Crown Res.	40	45	Ton. Belmont	4⅝	4⅝
Davis-Daly	1⅛	1⅝	Ton. Mining	6⅝	7
Eagle & B. B.	1⅛	1⅝	Truro	9	10½
1st Nat. Cop.	6⅝	6⅝	Utah Metals	9	9⅝
Goldfd. Con	80	90	Verde	11½	11⅝
Houghton	3	3½	Un. Profit	1⅛	1⅝
Iron Blos.	1⅝	1⅝	Yukon	2⅝	2⅝
La Rose	60	65			

NEW YORK STOCK TRANSACTIONS

	Sales.	High.	Low.	Close.	Net chg.
Alaska Gold	1,700	23½	22¾	22⅞	— ⅝
Alaska Jun.	800	9⅝	9¼	9¼	+ ¼
Allis-C. Mfg.	1,400	31	30	30½	....
Do pfd	1,700	81½	80⅝	81¼	— ½
Am. Ag. Chm.	1,100	70½	70⅛	70⅛	+ ⅛
Am. B. Sugar	1,100	70½	69⅝	69⅝	— ⅝
Am. Brk. S. pfd ctf	100	184	184	184	....
Am. Can	8,900	63¼	62	62⅛	+ ⅛
Am. Car. & F.	2,900	71¼	69⅝	70	— ½
Do pfd	200	118	118	118	+ ¼
Am. Coal Pds.	400	168	166¼	166¼	+ ¼
Do pfd	200	116	116	116	— ½
Am. Cot. Oil	100	53½	53½	53½	....
Am. H. & L. pf	100	50⅝	50⅝	50⅝	— ⅝
Am. Ice Sec.	1,500	31	30¼	31	+ ½
Am. Lin. Oil	1,400	23⅝	23	23⅝	....
Do pfd	200	41⅝	41	41⅝	— ¼
Am. Loco	2,300	66¼	65	65¼	— ⅝
Do pfd	300	102⅝	102¼	102¼	....
Am. Malt	100	9	9	9	....
Do pfd	100	33¼	33¼	33¼	....
Am. Smelt	9,800	102¼	99⅞	100¼	— 1½
Do pfd A	200	93	93	93	— ¼
Am. Steel F.	600	57	55⅝	55⅝	....
Am. Sugar	200	113	113	113	....
Am. T. & T.	300	127⅝	127½	127½	— ⅛
Am. Tob.	4,300	193	188	190	— 4½
Do pfd	300	106¼	106	106	— ½
Am. Wool. ctf	600	49⅞	48½	49⅛	+ ⅝
Am. Zinc	9,600	78	76	76½	....
Am. W. Pa. pf	100	12½	12½	12½	....
Anaconda	26,600	90¼	89	89⅛	— ⅝
Assoc. Oil	100	66½	66½	66½	....
Atchison	1,100	103⅛	102⅝	102⅝	— ⅛
Do pfd	200	101⅞	101⅞	101⅞	+ ⅛
Atl. C. Line	100	111½	111½	111½	....
Baldwin Loc.	28,500	112⅝	110¼	111	— ⅝
Balt. & Ohio	1,800	87¼	87	87	— ⅝
Batopilas	900	2¼	2¼	2¼	....
Beth. Steel	100	469½	469½	469½	....
Brk. R. Tran.	600	85½	85	85¼	— ⅛
Brown Shoe	100	52½	52½	52½	....
Do pfd	100	96⅝	96⅝	96⅝	....
Butte & Sup.	6,900	88⅝	86⅝	88	....
Cal. Petrol.	2,100	31½	30⅝	31	— 1½
Can. Pacific	14,700	171	166½	166½	— 1⅝
Cent. Leath.	700	53⅝	53	53	— ½
Can. South.	500	58⅝	58⅝	58⅝	....
Ches. & Ohio	1,500	62¼	61½	61½	— ½
C. G. W.	100	12⅝	12⅝	12⅝	— ⅛
Do pfd	200	35⅞	35½	35⅞	— ½
C., M. & St. P.	1,700	95¼	93⅝	94⅛	— ⅛
Do pfd	500	128⅝	128	128	....
C. & N. W.	400	129	128⅝	128⅝	....
C., R. I. & P.	1,300	19½	19	19	— ½
Chile Copper	1,000	23⅝	23¼	23⅝	— ⅛
Chino	8,600	58⅞	57½	57⅞	— 1⅛
Cluett-Peab.	600	72⅛	71⅛	71⅛	— ⅝
Colo. Fuel	700	46	45¼	45¼	— ⅝
Cons. Gas	1,400	134	133⅝	134	— ¼
Contin. Can	400	80⅝	80	80⅝	+ 1
Corn Prods.	2,200	21⅞	21⅝	21⅝	— ⅛
Do pfd	300	95⅝	95⅝	95⅝	— ⅝
Crucib. Steel	56,800	83⅝	80⅛	80⅛	— 2
Do pfd	600	113	112	112½	— 2⅝
Cuban A. Sug.	300	202	198	198	— 1
D. & Rio G.	200	10	10	10	— ½
Do pfd	100	19⅝	19⅝	19⅝	— ⅝
Detroit Uni.	100	88	88	88	+ ½
Dia. Match	300	106¼	105⅝	106¼	+ ¼
Distil. Sec.	5,400	48¼	46½	47⅛	....
Dome Mng.	27,300	29	23⅝	26	— 3⅝
D. S.S. & A. p.	100	10	10	10	....
Elec. S. B.	100	65	65	65	....
Erie	10,200	37⅛	36½	36⅝	— ⅝
Do 1st pfd	1,000	53	52	52½	— 1
Do 2d pfd	100	47	47	47	....
Fed. M. & S. p	400	54⅝	54	54	....
Gen. Chm. pfd	100	115⅞	115⅞	115⅞	....
Gen. Elec.	700	170½	170	170	....
Gen. Motors	400	480	480	480	....
Do pfd	300	113	113	113	— ½
Goodrich	3,100	73⅝	72½	72⅝	— ⅝
Gt. Nor. Ore	1,000	46	45½	45½	— ⅝
Gt. Nor. pfd	400	121	120½	120½	— 1
Greene Cana.	4,700	48	47⅛	47⅛	— ½
Gug. Explor.	4,300	21⅞	21¼	21⅝	+ ⅝
Granby	1,900	96½	92¼	93	— 4
Illinois Cent.	100	103⅛	103⅛	103⅛	— ⅛
Inspir. Cop.	6,900	46⅝	46	46⅛	— ⅝
Int. Ag. Corp.	200	23	23	23	....
Do pfd	600	63⅛	61⅝	63⅛	+ 1
Int. M. M. ctf	10,400	15	13⅝	14⅝	....
Do pfd ctf	43,300	68½	66¼	67⅝	— ⅞
Int.-Met. Con.	1,800	16⅝	16⅛	16⅝	+ ⅛
Do pfd	300	72	71⅞	71⅞	+ ⅛
Int. Pap. pfd	400	46	46	46	....
Int. Nick. ctf	55,000	53¼	46	48	— 4⅝
K. C. Sou.	300	26¼	26¼	26¼	— ⅞
Do pfd	100	60⅝	60⅝	60⅝	....
Lacka. Steel	500	77⅞	76⅞	76⅞	— 1¼
Lehigh Val.	400	78	77⅞	77⅞	— 1¼
Lee Rub. Tire	13,300	52⅞	50⅝	51⅛	+ ⅝
L. & N.	300	124⅛	124	124	....
Long Island	100	21½	21½	21½	....
Mackay Co.	900	80½	80⅛	80⅝	— 2⅝
Do pfd	100	67	67	67	....
Manhat. Elev.	100	130⅝	130⅝	130⅝	+ ⅝
Maxw'l Motor	1,700	69½	69⅝	69	— ½
Do 1st pfd	700	87⅝	87	87¼	— ½
Do 2d pfd	100	51½	51⅛	51⅛	+ ½
Mex. Petrol.	18,600	110⅝	107⅛	107½	— 1⅜
Miami Copper	1,900	37	36⅝	36⅝	— ⅝
Minn. & St. L.	500	6⅛	6⅛	6⅛	— ⅛
M., K. & T.	400	5⅝	5⅝	5⅝	....
Do pfd	100	14½	14½	14½	....
Mo. Pacific	500	5¼	5¼	5¼	— ¼
Do ctfs	1,100	5¼	5	5	— ½
Mont. Pwr. pf	300	113⅝	113	113	....
Nat. Cloak-S.	100	76¼	76¼	76¼	....
Nat. Enamel.	400	26⅝	26¼	26¼	— ⅝
Nat. Lead	800	70½	69	69½	— ⅝
Nat. Rys. Mex. 1st pfd	100	23¼	23¼	23¼	....
Nevada Cop.	1,100	16½	16¼	16⅝	— ⅛
N. Y. A. Brake	300	150	148	148	— ⅛
N. Y. Central	3,800	106¼	104½	105	— ⅞
N.Y.,N.H.-H.	1,300	69	68⅛	68⅛	— ½
N. Y., O. & W.	100	27	27	27	....
Norf. & W.	300	117⅛	116½	116¼	— 1⅝
North. Pacific	1,500	113⅝	112⅝	112⅝	— 1
Ont. Silver	200	7½	7½	7½	— ⅛
Pacific Mail	200	15⅞	15⅝	15⅝	....
Pa. Ry.	1,300	57¼	57	57	— ⅛
Peoples Gas	300	103⅞	103⅛	103⅛	— ⅝
Phila. Co.	100	41⅝	41⅝	41⅝	....
Pitts. Coal	600	32⅛	31½	31½	— ⅛
Do pfd	100	106⅝	106⅝	106⅝	+ ⅛
P. S. Car pfd	100	103	103	103	....
Pullman	300	164½	163½	163½	....
Quicksilver	700	5½	5¼	5½	+ ½
Ry. St. Spg.	700	42	40⅝	40⅝	— 1½
Ray Cons.	3,400	25⅝	25⅛	25⅛	— ⅝
Reading	2,200	78⅝	77⅝	77⅝	— ⅝
Do 1st pfd	200	43	43	43	— ½
Rep. Iron-St'l	3,300	53⅝	52⅝	52⅝	— 1
Do pfd	200	110	110	110	....
Rock Island	1,300	⅝	⅝	⅝	....
Sea. Air Line	300	17	17	17	— ½
Do pfd	300	38	37¼	38	+ ½
Sears-Roeb.	300	180	180	180	....
S. P. R. Sugar	400	165	162	162	....
South. Pacific	3,300	100	99½	99⅝	— ½
Southern Ry.	400	20⅝	20⅝	20⅝	— ⅛
Do pfd	200	59	58⅝	58⅝	— ⅛
St. L. & S. F.	500	4⅝	4⅝	4⅝	....
Shat. & Ariz.	18,600	38⅝	37⅛	37⅛	— 1⅜
Stand'd Mill'g	100	90⅝	90⅝	90⅝	....
Studebaker	8,100	153½	149½	150½	— 2½
Tenn. Copper	2,200	59	58	58⅝	— ⅝
Texas Oil	1,600	213	209⅝	210¼	— 2¼
Tex. & Pac.	300	7¼	7	7¼	+ ⅝
Union Bag-P.	200	7⅝	7½	7½	....
Union Pacific	4,500	134¼	132⅝	133	— ⅞
Do pfd	200	83⅝	83⅝	83⅝	....
Uni. Cig. Mfg.	200	60¼	60¼	60¼	....
U. Cig. Stores	800	9½	9⅝	9⅝	— ⅛
Do pfd	100	11⅞	11⅞	11⅞	....
United Fruit	4,400	140	145½	146½	— 2
Uni. Ry. Inv.	400	16½	16	16	— ½
Do pfd	200	31	30½	30	....
U. S. Alcohol	8,500	155⅝	151	153	— 1
U.S. C.I. Pipe	100	19	19	19	+ ⅝
Do pfd	100	49⅝	49⅝	49⅝	....
U. S. Exp.	100	45	45	45	....
U. S. Red. & Ref. pfd	100	1⅞	1⅞	1⅞	— ¼
U. S. Rubber	500	52¼	51½	51½	— ⅝
Do 1st pfd	100	107	107	107	+ ⅝
U. S. Steel	47,600	84⅛	82⅝	83	— ⅞
Utah Copper	11,300	85¼	83⅝	83⅞	— 1
Do secur.	100	19	19	19	— ⅛
Va. Chemical	600	47½	46⅝	46⅝	— ⅝
Va. Coal-Coke	100	54⅝	54⅝	54⅝	....
Wabash	700	14½	14⅛	14⅛	— ½
Do pfd. A	1,800	44	43⅝	43⅝	— ⅝
Do pfd. B	2,100	27⅝	27⅛	27⅛	— ⅝
Wells-Fargo	200	125	125	125	— 1
Western Md.	100	27	27	27	— ½
West'n Union	400	88⅝	88½	88⅝	— ½
Westinghouse Electric	10,400	67⅛	66¼	66⅛	— 1½
Willys-Over.	300	211½	210	210	— 5
Wis. Central	100	36	36	36	....
Woolworth	400	122	121	121	....
Do pfd	200	124⅛	124⅛	124⅛	....

GOVERNMENT BONDS.

	Bid.	Ask.
United States 2s, registered	98⅝	....
United States 2s, coupon	98⅝	....
United States 3s, registered	102½	....
United States 3s, coupon	102¼	....
United States 4s, registered	110¼	....
United States 4s, coupon	110⅝	....
United States Panama 3s, 1936	99	....

CLOSING BID and ASKED PRICES

(Stocks not traded in yesterday.)

	Bid.	Asked.		Bid.	Asked.
Adams Exp.	130	140	C. A. S. pfd.	102	107
Am. Ag. Ch.	130	140	Deere pfd.	95	96¼
A. B. S. pfd.	94	96	Del. & Hud.	150	153¾
A. B. S. ctf	101½	105	Det. Edison	135	140
A. Can. pfd.	110	112	D. S. S. & A.	4½	6
A. C. O. pfd.	99	101	F. M. & S.	27	30¾
Am. Exp.	130	136	G. W. H. Co.	180	196
A. H. & L.	9⅞	10	Do pfd.	114	119
Am. S. pfd.	112	112½	Gen. Chem.	290	300
Do pfd B.	86¼	87½	Goodrich pf.	113	114
Am. Snuff	140	149	Homestake	130	135
Do pfd.	105	111	I. H. of N. J.	110	110½
Am. S. pfd.	116¼	117½	Do pfd.	112	115
A. T. & C.	63	69	Int. H. C.	70	74
Assets Real.	5½	7	Do pfd.	103	107
B. Loc. pfd.	109½	110	Int. Paper	10¼	11
Bal. & O. pfd	76½	77	In. Nickel pf ctf	109	112
Beth. S. pfd.	130	140	J. Kayser	80	86
Brunswick	8	11	Do pfd.	108	112
B. R. & P.	88	92	K. C., Ft. S. & M. pfd.	60	63
Burns Bros.	82	85	K. & D. M.	3	4½
Do pfd.	100	110	Laclede Gas	105	106½
Butterick	29½	31½	L. E. & W.	10	14
Cal. P. pfd.	62½	64	Do pfd.	36	41
Cent. L. pfd.	109⅝	110¼	Lig. & M.	236	262
C. of N. J.	270	310	Do pfd.	120	....
Chi. & A.	8	11	Loose Wiles	18	19
Do pfd.	12	22½	Do 1st pfd.	90½	95
C., St. P., M. & Omaha	115	125	Do 2d pfd.	....	60
Do pfd.	132	141	Man. Shirt	50	55
C., C., C. & St. L.	40	46	Do pfd.	105	109
Do pfd.	72	76	May D. S.	52	55
Clu. P. pfd.	109⅝	111	Do pfd.	102½	105¼
Colo. & S.	27	28	Mex. P. pfd.	96¼	101
Do 1st pfd.	48	52	M. & St. L. pfd.	16	19
Do 2d pfd.	40	50	M., St. P. & S. S. M.	120	126
C. T. R. Co.	46¼	47¼	Do pfd.	134	138½
Con. G. pfd.	106½	108			
Crex Car	40	49			

	Bid.	Asked.		Bid.	Asked.
Mont. Pwr.	73	75	Sears Roebk. pfd.	126	....
Nash. & C.	129	135	Sloss Shef.	56	58
Nat. Bis.	123	124½	Do pfd.	96	98
Do pfd.	121	129	So. Porto R. Sugar pfd.	105	107
Nat. E. pfd.	95	98	St. L. & S. F. 1st pfd.	5¼	9½
Nat. L. pfd.	113	114½	Do 2d pfd.	6⅞	7
N. R. of M. pfd.	7⅞	8⅜	St. L. S. W.	17	19
N. Y. Dock	12	14⅝	Do pfd.	40	45
Do pfd.	34	35	S. Mill. pfd.	86½	87½
N. Y., C. & St. L.	38½	48	Studebkr. pf.	111	114
Do 1st pfd.	84	90	Tex. & Pac. land trust	109	....
Do 2d pfd.	57	60	Third Ave.	60	60¼
Nor. South.	20	26¼	Tol., St. L. & W.	5	7
Nor. & Wes. pfd.	83½	88	Do pfd.	8	12
N. O. T. & L.	67½	70	Twin City	94½	96
Pabst B. pfd	83½	85	Un. Type.	84	90
P. T. & T.	36⅝	39	Do pfd.	110	113
Do pfd.	94	97	Un. R. & P. pfd.	28½	30⅝
Pac. Co.	45	70	U. C. M. pfd.	103¼	108
P. Lorillard	193½	196	Utd. Dry G.	20½	....
Do pfd.	118	....	Do pfd.	66	68
Peo. & East.	10	13⅝	U. S. Reduct. & Ref.	2	2½
Pettl. Mull.	40	63	U. S. S. pfd.	116⅝	117½
Do pfd.	92	95¼	Va. Ch. pfd.	109	109½
Pitts. S. pfd.	93½	95¼	Va. Ry. & P.	47	50
P., C. C. & St. L.	78	80	Vul. Det.	9	18
Do pfd.	88	94	Do pfd.	25	40
P. Steel Car	57½	58	West. Elec. 1st pfd.	76	79
P. S. of N. J.	115¼	117	Wey. & Br.	205	240
Quicksilver	6½	7½	Do pfd.	115	119
Ry. Steel Sp. pfd.	98¼	100	W. & L. E.	2⅝	3½
Reading 2d pfd.	41⅝	42½	Do 1st pfd.	12	15
R. I. pfd.	⅝	⅞	Do 2d pfd.	3½	4
Rumely ctf.	11½	14			
Do pfd ctf.	23	25			

BOSTON STOCK TRANSACTIONS

BOSTON, Mass., Feb. 16.—[Special.]—The market was dull and soft today with only here and there a strong stock. Losses generally were confined to fractions, Butte and Superior extending its decline to a point and Quincy to two. Granby was a weak feature of the afternoon, declining to 92 for a loss of 4⅝ on the announcement of the proposed tax by the Canadian government. Call money ruled at 3 per cent. Time loans, short dates, 3@3½ per cent. Time loans, six months, 3½@3¾ per cent. Time loans, year, 4@4½ per cent.

	Sales.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Ahmeek	70	103	103	101½	101½
Adventure	340	2	2	2	2
Alaska Gold	2,101	23⅝	23⅝	22⅝	22⅝
Algomah	270	1⅛	1⅛	1	1
Allouez	225	72⅛	72⅝	71½	71½
Am. Zinc	3,230	76⅝	77⅝	75⅝	76⅛
Ariz. Coml.	885	9⅝	9⅝	9⅝	9⅝
But. Alex Scott	100	9⅛	9⅛	9⅛	9⅛
Butte & Balt.	160	4½	4½	4½	4½
Butte & Sup.	2,550	88⅝	88⅝	86⅝	87½
Cal. & Ariz.	447	74½	74½	72⅝	74
Cal. & Hecla	42	560	560	570	570
Chino	110	58	58	58	58
Cliff	100	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝
Cop. Range	1,240	65⅝	65⅝	64⅝	65⅛
Daly West	20	3	3	3	3
E. Butte	890	15	15	14⅝	14⅝
Franklin	100	9⅛	10	9⅛	10
Granby	725	96	96	92⅝	92⅝
Greene Can.	55	46	48½	48	48½
Indiana	100	5⅛	5⅛	5⅛	5⅛
Island Cr. pfd.	5	90	90	90	90
Inspiration	100	46⅝	46⅝	46⅝	46⅝
Isle Royale	80	29	29	28⅝	28⅝
Kerr Lake	826	4½	4½	4⅝	4⅝
Lake	80	18½	18½	18	18
La Salle	110	4⅛	4⅝	4⅛	4⅝
Mason Valley	250	3	3	3	3
Mass. Cons.	30	12½	12½	12½	12½
Miami	40	37⅝	37⅝	36⅝	36⅝
Michigan	100	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝
Mohawk	236	93½	94	93½	93½
Nev. Cons.	100	16½	16½	16⅛	16⅛
New Arc.	80	9⅝	9⅝	9⅛	9⅛
Nipissing	295	7⅛	7⅛	7	7
N. Butte	355	30	30	29½	29½
N. Lake	100	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝
Old Dom.	370	70½	71	69	69½
Osceola	510	94⅝	94⅝	91	92
Quincy	215	95	95	93½	94½
Ray Con.	27	25⅝	25⅝	25¼	25⅝
Santa Fe	205	3⅝	3⅝	3⅝	3⅝
Shannon	1,415	11⅝	11⅝	10⅝	11
Shattuck	365	30	30	27½	27⅝
South Lake	100	7⅝	7⅝	7⅝	7⅝
South Utah	825	37c	37c	35c	35c
St. Mary's Ld.	315	67	68	67	68
Sup. & Boston	310	4	4	3⅝	3⅝
Sup. Copper	10	21	21	21	21
Tamarack	20	53	53	53	52
Trinity	125	10	10	10	10
Utah Apex	2,843	4 7-16	4 7-16	4¼	4 7-16
U. S. Smelting	3,059	62¼	62⅝	61	61¼
Do pfd.	691	50⅛	50⅝	50	50⅝
Utah Con.	573	15⅛	15⅛	14⅝	14⅝
Utah Cop.	80	84⅝	84⅝	84	84
Victoria	110	3⅜	3⅜	3⅜	3⅜
Winona	10	4⅞	4⅞	4⅞	4⅞
Wolverine	75	66½	66⅝	66½	66½
Wyandotte	50	2 7-16	2 7-16	2 7-16	2 7-16
RAILROADS.					
Boston & Alb.	21	198	198	198	198
Boston Elev.	40	85	85	84	84
Bos. & Lowell	30	145	145	145	145
Bos. & Maine	337	47	47	45	46
Do pfd.	55	73	73	73	73
Fitchburg pfd.	43	85	85	83½	83½
Mass. Elec. pfd	1	38	38	38	38
N.Y.N.H.&H.	10	68⅝	68⅝	68⅝	68⅝
Nor. N. Hamp.	4	105	105	105	105
O. Colony R. R.	6	156	156	156	156
West End	16	65⅝	65½	65½	65½
Do pfd.	35	84½	84½	84	84
MISCELLANEOUS.					
A. Ag. Ch. pfd.	15	98	98	98	98
Amoskeag	12	70	70	70	70
Do pfd.	6	100	100	100	100
Am. Pneu. Svc.	10	3	3	3	3
Do pfd.	62	117½	117⅞	117	117⅞
Am. Tel. & T.	671	127¼	127⅝	127⅛	127⅝
A. Wool pfd ctf.	528	97½	96⅝	97⅛	97⅛
A. G. & W. I.	200	29½	29½	28	28
Do pfd.	40	45½	45½	45	45½
E. Bos. Land	50	11	11	11	11
Edison	66	248	249	248	248½
Ga. Ry. & Elec.	13	125	125	124⅝	124⅝
Gen. Elec.	10	170	170	170	170
Mass. Gas	66	86	86	86	86
Do pfd.	8	86½	86½	86½	86½
McElw. pfd.	70	101⅛	101⅛	100⅝	100⅝
N. E. Tel.	12	137	137	137	137
Pullman	60	164	164	164	164
Reece Button	20	16	16	16	16
Swift	210	126	126⅝	126	126⅝
Torrington	812	48⅝	48	47½	48⅝
United Fruit	1,148	148⅝	138⅝	145½	147½
United Shoe	486	55	55⅛	55	55⅛
Do pfd.	230	29	29	29	29
U. S. Steel	1,230	84	84	83	83
Ventura Oil	4,305	8¼	8¼	8	8
Wollaston Ld.	225	1	1⅛	1	1⅛
BONDS.					
$5,000 A. T. & Tel. 4s		92⅝	92⅝	92¼	92¼
10,000 do 4½s		106½	106½	106½	106½
7,000 A. G. & W. I 5s		78	78	78	78
1,000 C. B. & Q. Ill. 3½s		88¼	88¼	88¼	88¼
10,000 C. L. & Q. jt 4s		98⅝	98⅝	98⅝	98⅝
10,000 C. J. & S. Y. 4s of 1940		85½	85½	85½	85½
1,000 N. E. Cotton Yarn 5s		90⅝	90⅝	90⅝	90⅝
2,000 Swift & Co. 5s		99⅝	100	99⅝	100
20,000 West. Tel. 4s		99⅝	100	99⅝	100

PRICES DECLINE IN N. Y. MARKET

Increased Pressure Cause, but Losses Are Orderly in Most Cases.

Total shares of stocks, 600,000 shares.

Total sales of bonds (par value), $3,200,000.

New York, Feb. 16.—Increased pressure was brought to bear on the stock market today, with further depreciation of values. Selling was more obviously of a professional character, with here and there a sprinkling of liquidation. Declines were orderly, however, except in a few isolated instances, which prices yielded precipitately.

The market's failure to respond to good news which was not altogether lacking seemed to result more from its technical weakness or over extended position on the bull side than from apprehension concerning impending events. Announcement that Washington had received Berlin's reply in the Lusitania matter was accepted with mild interest and other advices bearing upon the international situation excited little attention.

Dominion Shares Weak.

Canadian Pacific and shares of other companies operating in the dominion were conspicuously weak in consequence of the heavy war tax which it is proposed to levy on corporations in that country. Canadian made an extreme decline of 5⅛ at 166½. Domes Mines lost 6¼ at 23⅛, Granby Consolidated fell 4⅝ to 92⅝, and International Nickel lost 6⅝ at 46.

Mexican issues, especially Mexican and California petroleums, Texas company, and American Smelting were heavy to weak on reports affecting the stability of the existing government in the southern republic, and American Tobacco, the Motor group, and Mackay companies were 3 to 5 points lower on disappointed dividend prospects.

Rails Lose Only Little.

Rails in general registered only moderate losses, but United States Steel denoted unceasing pressure, while the active war issues, with the noteworthy exception of Crucible Steel, were 1 to 3 points down, but still well above minimums of last month. Coppers as a class gave a good acount of themselves until the final hour. Weakness prevailed at the close.

Trade journals continued to issue reports of an optimistic tenor in connection with the steel and iron industry and these advices were borne out by further advances in prices of pipes, rods, and other manufactured specialties. The annual report of the Pressed Steel Car company was in keeping with these conditions.

Bonds were lower, with dealings more diversified. United States coupon 4s declined ¼ per cent and the registered 3s declined ⅛ per cent on call.

Mercantile paper, 3@3½. Sterling: Sixty day bills, 4.71; demand, 4.76; cables, 4.76⅝. Francs: Demand, 5.88; cables, 5.87⅝. Marks: Demand, 75⅝; cables, 75 3-16. Kronen: Demand, 13⅛; cables, 13⅝. Guilders: Demand, 42⅝; cables 42⅝. Liras: Demand, 6.70; cables, 6.69. Rubles: Demand, 32; cables, 32⅛. Bar silver, 56⅝. Mexican dollars, 43. Government bonds irregular. Railroad bonds easy. Time loans firm; sixty days, 2½; ninety days, 2⅝; six months, 3⅛@3. Call money steady; high, 2; low, 1¾; ruling rate, 1⅞; last loan, 2; closing bid, 1¾; offered at 2.

TRANSACTIONS ON THE CURB.

	Sales.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Aeolian Web.	700	28	28	20	28
Aetna Ex. w.i.	9,100	20¼	21⅛	20	20⅛
Ajax Rubber	1,200	73	73	72	72½
Am. Com'der.	300	9½c	9½c	9½c	9½c
Am. Drug	900	12⅝	12⅝	12⅛	12⅛
Am. Marconi	1,100	3½	3⅝	3⅝	3⅝
Balt. Tun.	850	107	112	107	108
B.-Am. Tob. new	1,800	18	18	15½	15½
Barn. O. & G.	3,050	3¼	3¼	3⅛	3⅛
Booth	5,100	29c	29c	29c	29c
Butte C. & Z.	800	8⅝	8⅝	8⅛	8⅛
Caledonia Mg.	1,400	96c	97c	96c	96c
Calaveras	25	3½	3½	3½	3½
Can. Car & F.	65	65	65	65	65
Do pfd.	25	85	85	85	85
Can. Nat. G. C.	4,500	2	2	1⅞	2
Canada Cop.	100	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝
Car. Lt. & P.	1,800	6¼	6¼	6	6⅛
Car. Steel w.i.	500	8½	8⅝	8½	8⅝
Cerro de Pasco	1,600	41	41½	39½	39⅝
Chandler Mot.	280	92	92½	91½	91½
Chevrolet	600	130	133	130	132
Con. Ariz.	800	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛
Coniagas Cob.	100	4⅛	4⅛	4⅛	4⅛
Con. Nev. Ut.	300	⅝	⅝	⅝	⅝
Cosden Oil R.	1,800	24	24	23⅝	23⅝
Cuban Cane S.	8,700	52½	53	52⅝	52⅝
Curtiss	500	52½	32½	50	50
Driggs Seab.	365	144	144	142	142
Emma Cop.	5,400	52c	53c	50c	53c
Erie Ry. r'ts	9,600	⅛	⅛	⅛	⅛
First Nat. Cop.	2,500	7	7	6⅝	6⅝
G'd'f'd Cons.	800	93c	93c	93c	92c
G'd'f'd Kew'n's	1,000	17½c	17½c	17½c	17½c
G'd'f'd Merger	5,000	17c	17c	16c	17c
G'd'f'd S. Pick	2,000	5½c	5½c	5½c	5½c
Guan. Sugar	60	75⅝	75⅝	75⅝	75⅝
Hartman	200	73	73	73	73
Hask. Bark. w.i.	300	40	40½	40	40
Houston Oil	250	20	20	20	20
Howe Sound	1,825	7⅛	7⅛	6⅝	6⅝
Int. Arms	100	19	19	19	19
Int. M. Mar. pfd.	100	67	67	67	67
Inter. Mines	1,000	15c	16c	15c	16c
Inter. Pet.	2,400	13⅝	13½	13¼	13⅜
Iron Blossom	200	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝
Jewel Tel w.i.	100	68¼	68¼	68¼	68¼
Jumbo Ext.	800	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛
Kelly S. T.	600	71½	71⅝	71⅝	71⅝
Kenn. Copper	10,700	55½	55⅝	54	54
Kathodion	900	22⅞	23	21½	21½
Kerr Lake	200	4⅝	4⅝	4⅝	4⅝
Lake Tor.	800	12	12	11½	11½
McKin'y Dar.	3,700	48c	48c	45c	46c
Magma Cop.	500	17½	17½	17⅝	17⅝
Man. Trans.	200	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝
Majestic	1,150	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛
Marsh Mng.	1,000	36c	37c	36c	37c
Maxim Mun.	1,000	7⅛	7⅛	6½	6⅞
Mother Lode	3,100	22½c	22½c	21½c	21½c
Midvale Steel	10,300	71½	71½	70	70⅝
Do r'ts w.i.	3,200	3	3	2⅝	2⅝
Mines Co. Am.	220	2⅝	3	2⅝	2⅝
Mojave Tung.	1,900	5⅛	5⅛	5	5⅛
Midwest Ref.	745	61¼	61½	60⅝	60⅝
Nev. Hills	1,000	19c	19c	17c	17c
Nevins Elec.	3,000	⅝	⅝	⅝	⅝
Nev. U. Bing.	400	4⅝	4⅝	4⅝	4⅝
N. Y. Trans.	800	12⅝	13	12⅝	12⅝
Nipissing	2,400	7⅛	7⅛	6⅝	6⅝
N. Butte Dev.	500	⅝	⅝	⅝	⅝
Peerless Mot.	100	27	27	27	27
Poole Engr.	250	120	123	120	120
Pyrene Mfg.	100	19	19	19	19
R. & H. Corp.	100	5⅝	5⅝	5⅝	5⅝
Ray Hercules	1,025	3⅝	3⅝	3	3⅛
Red Top Elec.	340	6⅝	6⅝	6⅝	6⅝
Rex Cons.	2,000	25c	25c	24c	24c
St. Joe Lead	300	15⅝	15⅝	15⅝	15⅝
San Toy	1,000	19c	19c	18½c	18½c
Savoy Oil	100	10⅝	10⅝	10⅝	10⅝
Sapulpa Refg.	1,800	13⅝	13⅝	13⅝	13⅝
Scr. Grav. Gd.	800	73c	75c	73c	73c
S'and. Silver	1,000	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝
Sil. Tip Mng.	7,300	18c	20c	18c	19c
Submar. Corp.	500	37⅝	37⅝	37	37
Success	29,700	87c	95c	87c	93c
Tex. Co. r'ts w.i.	700	17⅛	17⅛	17⅛	17⅛
Tob. Prod.	1,900	36½	37	35½	35½
Tono. Ext.	200	4⅛	4⅛	4⅛	4⅛
Un. Cig. new	1,000	95⅝	96	95⅝	95⅝
Univ. Motors	6,000	6⅝	6⅝	6⅝	6⅝
United East.	1,100	4⅛	4⅛	4⅛	4⅛
Un. Profit Sh.	800	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝
Unit. Verde	2,250	12⅝	12⅝	11⅝	11⅝
U. S. Cont.	1,200	12½c	18½c	12½c	18½c
U. S. Lt. & H.	400	3⅝	4	3⅝	4
Do pfd.	200	4⅝	4⅝	4⅝	4⅝
Ventura	100	8½	8½	8	8
Victoria Oil	300	2⅝	2⅝	2⅝	2⅝
Wab. Pit. T. w.i.	100	19⅝	19⅝	19⅝	19⅝
Way. Oil & G.	21,800	7½	8⅝	7⅛	7⅝
W. End Cons.	250	78c	78c	78c	78c
World Film	1,800	1⅝	2	1⅝	1⅝
Yukon	800	2⅝	2⅝	2⅝	2⅝
BONDS.					
$37,000 B. & O. 5s w.i.		101⅝	102	101⅝	101⅝
56,000 C., M. & St. P. 4s		95½	95⅝	95½	95½
7,000 Chi. Un. T. 4½s w.i.		100⅝	100⅝	100⅝	100⅝
55,000 Cerro de Pasco 6s		121½	121½	119⅝	119⅝
232,000 Erie Ry. 4s w.i.		88¼	88⅝	87⅝	87⅝
85,000 Midv'e 5s w.i.		96⅝	96⅝	96⅝	96⅝

CLOSING BID AND ASKED PRICES.

	Bid.	Ask.		Bid.	Ask.
B. Am. Tob.	15⅝	15⅝	Kelly Tire 1st pfd.	96	97
Curtiss	48	52			

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National Life of United States.

C. H. H.—The National Life Insurance company of the United States began business under a special charter granted by congress in 1868. It was incorporated in Illinois in 1904. It has had an intermittent growth, writing practically no insurance from 1886 to 1896. In 1912 it reinsured the business of the Des Moines Life, which increased its policies in force to $77,553,792. At the end of 1914 the total had been increased to $79,729,387. The company has $200,000 capital stock, and a year ago it had $211,025 surplus, compared with $173,317 the year before. Dividends of 10 per cent annually have been paid to stockholders in recent years. The report for 1915 has not yet been received.

Wisconsin Railway Light and Power.

C. H. S.—The Wisconsin Railway Light and Power company is required by the trust deed under which its refunding bonds are issued, to accumulate, under certain conditions and contingencies, a steam power reserve fund of $[illegible]. Until this fund has been set aside the management does not deem it advisable to begin dividends on common stock. Earnings last year amounted to [illegible] per cent on common.

Brief Answers.

A. H. B., Elkhart, Ind.—The Cleveland, Cincinnati, Chicago and St. Louis railway was hit hard by floods in 1913, and fell nearly $3,000,000 short of earning its fixed charges. In 1914 it came within $2,000,000 of earning charges, and its total deficit on Dec. 31, 1914, stood at $3,[illegible],021. Last year gross earnings were over $38,000,000, the largest on record, and surplus after fixed charges was $[illegible],220,929. The New York Central owns a majority of the stock.

A. L.—The Metropolitan Life Insurance company was mutualized a year ago, the company buying in all the stock at $[illegible] a share, or three times its par value. There are now no stockholders and the only dividends paid are to policy holders.

W. A. S., Lafayette, Ind.—The Yukon Gold company is controlled by the Guggenheim Exploration company, but the holding company is soon to be distributed to the stockholders of the latter.

R. A. E.—No official information is obtainable from the Eagle Film company.

	Bid.	Ask.		Bid.	Ask.
Cons. C. Ms.	1⅝	1⅞	Larose	⅝	⅞
Cramp Ship.	73	78	Stand S. H.	11½	13
Elec. Boat	370	377	L. Valley	78	82
Do pfd	370	377	Otis Elev.	63	65
Hendee Mfg.	27	30	Stand. Mot.	9	10
Houston Oil pfd	60	70	Sterling Gum w. i.	1⅝	2
Int. Con. Rub.	12	12½	Stew. Mng.	1-16	⅛
Int. Motor	20	25	Tono. Mng.	6⅝	7
Do pfd	35	40	Trian. Film.	4⅝	5⅛
Int. Salt	37	41	U. C. S. pfd.	95½	96
			Saxon	69	70½

BONDS.

Western Pacific 5s 24 25

STANDARD OIL SUBSIDIARIES.

	Sales.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Ohio Oil	100	218	220	218	219
Pierce Oil	3,000	17	17⅝	16⅝	16⅝
Prairie Pipe	50	234	235	234	234
S. O. Cal.	30	375	378	375	[illegible]
S. O. N. J.	5	518	518	518	[illegible]
S. O. N. Y.	11	218	210	218	[illegible]
Vacuum Oil	12	226	226	226	[illegible]

CLOSING BID AND ASKED PRICES.

	Bid.	Ask.		Bid.	Ask.
Ang.-A. Oil	15½	16⅛	Nor. Pipe	[illegible]	[illegible]
Atlan. Ref.	670	690	Prairie Oil	415	[illegible]
Borne Scry.	275	285	Solar Ref.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Buck. Pipe	103	110	South. Pipe	210	[illegible]
Chese. Mfg.	725	740	S. Penn. Oil	370	[illegible]
Colon. Oil	160	182	S. W. Pa. P.	112	[illegible]
Cont. Oil	265	275	S. O. Ind.	565	[illegible]
Cres't Pipe	45	48	S. O. Kas.	440	[illegible]
Cumb. Pipe	68	72	S. O. Ky.	360	[illegible]
Eureka P.	240	250	S. O. Neb.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Gal. Sig. O.	150	158	S. O. Ohio	[illegible]	[illegible]
Do pfd	135	140	Swan & F.	125	[illegible]
Ill. Pipe	185	187	Un. T. Line	86	[illegible]
Ind. Pipe	104	107	Wash. Oil	37	[illegible]
N. Y. Trans.	200	210			

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ADVERTISE IN THE TRIBUNE.

CASH PREMIUMS HIGHER, CAUSING WHEAT ADVANCE

Mills and Exporters Compete for Offerings; Corn Mart Active and Strong.

Remarkable advances in cash wheat prices at several points, and especially at the gulf, in the last few days have increased the speculative buying demand, and sentiment has become more bullish than for some time. The movement from Argentina and Australia is slow, and the export buying continues at a rate that is surprising in view of the bearish reports in regard to the state of the trade recently. Commission houses were good buyers all through the session yesterday, and there appeared to be a good deal of reinstating of lines by local bulls. Resting prices showed net gains for the day of 1¼@1¾c to 2c.

Cash prices at the gulf were again higher, a round lot being sold at Chicago May price, which was 1c higher than any hard wheat had sold previously relative to the future.

Duluth Premiums Much Higher.

Duluth reported mills bidding 2@3c over May for No. 1 northern, which a day or so ago was May price to 1c over. One of the factors in the buying was the much improved demand for flour, especially in the southwest, mills buying cash wheat to cover large sales of flour. The seaboard reported strong cables late in the day, and total export sales were 1,400,000 bu. Local sales were 220,000 bu, including about 200,000 bu for export, and Omaha sold 200,000 bu. At Kansas City export bids were strong, and there was more Minneapolis wheat sold for shipment east.

Wheat is now selling abroad at considerably higher prices than a year ago, and in spite of the liberal importations, which have been larger than a year ago, supplies are still light, with millers anxious.

Crop Reports Cause Anxiety.

In addition to the big improvement in cash prices, the crop reports were less reassuring. In the southwest green bugs are found in large numbers in many fields, according to government investigators, who are of the opinion the menace is serious in many section. Damage reports were numerous from Illinois.

Receipts were 144 cars and primary receipts were 1,308,000 bu, compared to 902,000 bu a year ago, and northwest arrivals were 314 cars, against 221 cars a year ago. Winnipeg arrivals were 235 cars; last year, 351 cars. It is understood the Canadian wheat shipped east previous to the close of navigation has been about all sold, which accounts for the increased demand for gulf wheat. Canadian roads in the east are busy with war supplies traffic. Cables were ½d up. Clearances for the day were 829,000 bu.

Corn Trade More Active.

Trade in corn continues to increase in volume, with country bulls reinstating their lines and the local bulls more aggressive, while there has been quite a general resumption of buying by commission houses. Prices for the day were 1⅛@1¼c higher. Offerings were fair, but were absorbed easily. The heavy run is believed to be nearly over, and bulls believe the arrivals of good corn will be small.

There is a fair export inquiry, a cargo being sold from here for opening of navigation shipment, and a cargo also was reported taken at the seaboard. Local cash sales were 115,000 bu. Weather conditions were milder, with generally clear weather. Receipts were 424 cars, and primary receipts were 1,295,000 bu, against 971,000 bu a year ago, and clearings were small at 17,000 bu. Cables were unchanged, the foreign markets being dull.

Oats Gain in Price.

The oats market was moderately active and strong, reflecting largely the strength in other grains. The cash demand was fair and there were sales of 120,000 bu domestic. Futures were ⅜c to ½@⅝c higher. Cash prices were about ½c higher. Receipts were 120 cars and the primary run was 1,119,000 bu, compared to 1,178,000 bu a year ago. Clearances were moderate at 140,000 bu.

Hog products were decidedly strong, a further advance of 5@10c in hogs with the strength in coarse grains being the main bullish features. A smaller increase than was expected in lard stocks caused some support and offerings were not heavy, although packers sold a little product on the advance. Receipts were 43,000 hogs, with 36,000 expected today, with western receipts 142,700, compared to 126,900 a year ago. Cash lard at Liverpool was 3d lower, with meats unchanged. Receipts of products were 28 cars and shipments were 209 cars.

Firm Rye Market.

Rye held firm, with sales of No. 1 at $1.02; No. 3, $1.00, and No. 4, 96@99½c. Receipts were 10 cars.

Barley was strong, with malting selling at 72@77c; feed, 68@70c; and screenings, 52@68c. Receipts, 44 cars.

Timothyseed was firm. March closed $8.80 bid and $9.00 asked, and cash lots were quoted at $5.50@8.50 nominal. Cloverseed was unchanged, with cash lots $10.00@20.00 nominal.

Duluth flax closed ¾c higher. Cash on track, $2.33½; May, $2.36; and July, $2.36¾. Receipts were 8 cars. Minneapolis was ¾c higher, with cash on track $2.30@2.33. Receipts, 8 cars. Winnipeg closed ¼@½c higher, with May $2.12½ and July $2.17. Receipts none.

COTTON.

NEW ORLEANS, La., Feb. 16.—COTTON—Futures:

	High.	Low.	Close.
March	11.47	11.26	11.40
May	11.78	11.65	11.69
July	12.02	11.88	11.94
October	12.08	11.90	11.97
December	12.16	12.00	12.06

Spot steady, unchanged. Sales, 1,145 bales. Middling, 11.44c.

NEW YORK, Feb. 16.—COTTON—Futures:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. close.
March	11.75	11.77	11.67	11.68	11.79
May	12.00	12.09	11.90	11.98	12.01
July	12.16	12.20	12.08	12.10	12.12
October	12.29	12.30	12.16	12.20	12.22
December	12.34	12.38	12.24	12.28	12.30
January	12.35	12.35	12.35	12.41	....

Spot quiet; middling uplands, 11.80c. No sales.

LIVERPOOL, Feb. 16.—COTTON—Spot easier; good middling, 8.13d; middling, 7.93d; low middling, 7.59d. Sales, 7,000 bales; for speculation and export, 2,000; receipts, 1,000. Futures steady. February, 7.74d; February-March, 7.69d; March-April, 7.63d; April-May, 7.64d; May-June, 7.62½d; June-July, 7.60d; July-August, 7.58d; August-September, 7.53d; September-October, 7.42d; October-November, 7.35d; November-December, 7.31½d; December-January, 7.30½d; January-February, [illegible].

BOARD OF TRADE TRANSACTIONS.

RANGE OF ACTIVE FUTURES.

WHEAT.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Closing Feb. 16.	Closing Feb. 15.
May	1.27½-¾	1.30½	1.28¾	1.30¼-⅝	1.28¾-⅞
July	1.22½-2	1.25⅝	1.22	1.25⅜	1.21½-2

CORN.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Closing Feb. 16.	Closing Feb. 15.
May	.78⅜-½	79⅞	78¼-⅜	79⅝	78⅜-½
July	.78⅛-78	79¼	77⅞	79-⅛	77⅞

OATS.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Closing Feb. 16.	Closing Feb. 15.
May	.48⅝-¾	49½-⅝	[illegible]	49¼	48⅝-¾
July	.46⅝-¾	46⅞	46⅛	46⅝	46⅛

PORK.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Closing Feb. 16.	Closing Feb. 15.
May	20.72½	20.97½	20.70	20.95	20.60
July	20.75	21.00	20.75	20.97½	20.65

LARD.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Closing Feb. 16.	Closing Feb. 15.
May	10.37½	10.45	10.30	10.42½	10.30
July	10.57½	10.62½	10.55	10.60	10.57½

SHORT RIBS.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Closing Feb. 16.	Closing Feb. 15.
May	11.47½	11.62½	11.47½	11.62½	11.40
July	11.55	11.75	11.55	11.72½	11.55

PRICES AT OUTSIDE MARKETS.

ST. LOUIS.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. close.
May wheat	1.24	1.26⅜	1.23½	1.25⅞	1.23⅝
July wheat	1.19⅜	1.20⅜	1.19⅛	1.20⅜	1.18⅝
May corn	76½	77⅛	76½	77⅛	76½
July corn	76½	77⅛	76⅛	77⅜	76⅛

KANSAS CITY.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. close.
May wheat	1.19	1.21⅜	1.19	1.20⅜	1.19⅛
July wheat	1.15⅜	1.17⅛	1.15⅛	1.17	1.15⅛
Sept. wheat	1.12⅜	1.14⅜	1.12⅜	1.14⅛	1.12⅝
May corn	73⅜	74⅛	73	74⅛	73⅛
July corn	74	74⅛	73⅞	74⅛	74

MINNEAPOLIS.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. close.
May wheat	1.27½	1.29⅜	1.27⅜	1.29	1.27⅛
July wheat	1.25½	1.27⅜	1.25½	1.27⅛	1.25⅛

DULUTH.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. close.
May wheat	1.27⅞	1.29⅜	1.27⅞	1.29⅜	1.27⅞
July wheat	1.28	1.28⅝	1.28	1.28⅜	1.26⅜

WINNIPEG.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. close.
May wheat	1.27⅛	1.29	1.27⅛	1.28⅜	1.26⅞
July wheat	1.26	1.27⅜	1.26	1.27	1.25⅜
May oats	46⅝	47⅛	46⅝	47	46⅝
July oats	45⅝	46	45⅝	45⅝	45⅛

TOLEDO.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. close.
Cash wheat	1.33	1.35	1.33	1.35	1.33
May wheat	1.34⅛	1.36⅜	1.34⅛	1.36⅜	1.34⅛
July wheat	1.26⅜	1.28⅛	1.26⅜	1.27⅞	1.26⅛
May corn	....	....	....	81⅛	80⅜
July corn	....	....	....	81⅛	80⅛
May oats	....	....	....	52⅜	51⅛
July oats	....	....	....	49⅛	49

BALTIMORE.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. close.
Feb. wheat	1.35½	1.37½	1.35½	1.37½	1.35½
Feb. corn	80¼	81	80¼	81	80¼

GRAIN INSPECTION.

	Standard.	No. 2 or better.	No. 3.	Lower grades.	Total cars.
Winter wheat	..	6	77	15	98
Spring wheat	..	10	3	6	19
West. wheat	..	9	16	3	28
Mixed wheat	..	...	...	2	2
Velvet chaff	..	1	...	...	1
Durum wh't	..	1	1	...	2
Corn	..	11	39	437	487
Oats	4	3	83	49	139
Rye	..	1	5	5	11
Barley	..	2	24	53	79
Totals	4	44	248	570	866

Loaded from unlicensed elevators: Wheat—No. 2 red, 4 cars; No. 2 hard, 41 cars; No. 3 hard, 1 car; No. 4 hard, 8 cars; No. 3 western, 4 cars; No. 3 western, 1 car; No. 1 hard spring, 1 car; No. 1 northern, 30 cars. Corn—No. 2 yellow, 13 cars; No. 3 yellow, 13 cars; No. 4 yellow, 5 cars; No. 5 yellow, 6 cars; No. 6 yellow, 8 cars; sample, 1 car; No. 2 white, 2 cars; No. 3 white, 5 cars; No. 4 white, 13 cars; No. 5 white, 1 car; No. 6 white, 1 car; No. 2 mixed, 28 cars; No. 3 mixed, 15 cars; No. 4 mixed, 30 cars; No. 6 mixed, 2 cars. Oats—Standard, 7 cars; No. 3 white, 10 cars; No. 4 white, 7 cars; purified, 28 cars; clipped, 29 cars; No. 3 mixed, 1 car. Rye—No. 3, 2 cars. Barley—No. 1 feed, 13 cars. From store: Wheat—No. 2 hard, 4,818 bu; No. 1 northern, 52,441 bu; No. 1 velvet, 14,531 bu. Corn—No. 2 yellow, 3,000 bu; No. 2 white, 1,216 bu. Oats—Standard, 10,940 bu.

DAILY BIDS AND OFFERS.

WHEAT.

	Bids High.	Bids Low.	Bids Close.	Offers High.	Offers Low.	Offers Close.
May	1.28⅝	1.28	1.28⅝	1.32⅜	1.32	1.32⅜
July	1.22⅜	1.21⅛	1.22⅛	1.25⅛	1.25	1.25⅛

CORN.

	Bids High.	Bids Low.	Bids Close.	Offers High.	Offers Low.	Offers Close.
May	79	78⅜	79	80⅜	80⅛	80⅛
July	78⅝	78⅛	78⅝	79⅝	79⅛	79⅝

OATS.

	Bids High.	Bids Low.	Bids Close.	Offers High.	Offers Low.	Offers Close.
May	49	48⅜	48⅞	49⅜	49⅛	49⅜
July	46⅛	46⅛	46⅝	46⅛	46⅛	46⅝

WEEKLY BIDS AND OFFERS.

WHEAT.

	This week. Bids.	This week. Offers.	Next week. Bids.	Next week. Offers.
May	1.26	1.35	1.20¼	1.40⅛
July	1.20	1.27½	1.15⅛	1.32⅜

CORN.

	This week. Bids.	This week. Offers.	Next week. Bids.	Next week. Offers.
May	78	81½	76⅜	83⅜
July	77⅛	80⅜	76	82⅜

OATS.

	This week. Bids.	This week. Offers.	Next week. Bids.	Next week. Offers.
May	46⅛	50⅜	47	51⅛
July	45⅛	47⅜	44⅛	49

PRIMARY MOVEMENT.

WESTERN.

	Received Wheat.	Received Corn.	Shipped Wheat.	Shipped Corn.
Chgo.	304,000	1,122,000	246,000	193,000
Milw.	8,000	65,000	13,000	3,000
Mpls.	317,000	25,000	127,000	18,000
Dul.	126,000	....	2,000	....
St. L.	152,000	59,000	119,000	20,000
Toledo	9,000	17,000	31,000	10,000
Detroit	4,000	22,000	10,000	23,000
K. C.	223,000	102,000	178,000	89,000
Peoria	4,000	160,000	16,000	65,000
Om'ha	79,000	144,000	89,000	132,000
Idpls.	28,000	152,000	6,000	100,000
Cincin.	74,000	29,000	24,000	5,000
T'l.to	1,308,000	1,895,000	858,000	604,000
L'st yr	902,000	971,000	736,000	970,000

EASTERN.

	Received Wheat.	Received Corn.	Shipped Wheat.	Shipped Corn.
N. Y.	468,000	10,000	497,000	17,000
Bost.	102,000	3,000	40,000	....
Phila.	120,000	76,000	48,000	....
Balt.	76,000	203,000	40,000	....
N.Orl's	45,000	32,000	....	....
Galv.	80,000	....	159,000	....
N.N's	135,000	....	....	....
T'l.to	1,065,000	324,000	784,000	17,000
L'st yr	661,000	341,000	435,000	107,000

CASH TRANSACTIONS.

FLOUR—Market firm. Quotations:

SPRING WHEAT.

Special brands, wood ....$7.30; Pat., jute.$6.10@6.30 | Straight ..$5.70@5.90; First clr..$4.80@5.00; Sec. clear.$3.60@3.90

WINTER WHEAT.

Soft winter—Patents ..$5.40@5.50; Straight ..$5.10@5.35; Clear ....$4.20@5.65 | Hard winter—Patents ..$5.50@5.60; Straight ..$5.10@5.45; Clear ....$4.50@4.70

RYE FLOUR.

Dark ....$4.60@4.70 | White, pt.$5.20@5.40

WINTER WHEAT—Firm. Sales: In store: Mixed lots, 10,000 bu; No. 2 hard, 50,000 bu. Track: No. 4 red, $1.14; No. 4 hard, $1.21½@1.23⅜; No. 3 hard, $1.25¼@1.27⅜; No. 2 hard, $1.30@1.30⅜. Illinois proportional billing: No. 4 red, $1.22@1.24; No. 3 red, $1.25@1.28⅜; No. 2 red, $1.30⅜; No. 4 hard, $1.11@1.23⅜; No. 3 hard, $1.25⅜@1.27⅜.

SPRING WHEAT—Firm. Sales: In store: No. 1 northern, 130,000 bu; mixed lots, 10,000 bu. Track: No. 3 northern, $1.27; No. 2 northern, $1.31¼; No. 1 northern, $1.33@1.35.

CORN—Steady to 1c higher. Sales: In store: Mixed lots, 115,000 bu. Track: Sample grade, 30@60c; No. 6 mixed, 58@64c; No. 5 mixed, 70½c; No. 3 mixed, 76@77c; No. 6 yellow, 55@63c; No. 5 yellow, 65@70c; No. 4 yellow, 73@74c; No. 3 yellow, 74c; No. 6 white, 58@63c; No. 5 white, 65@67c; No. 4 white, 73¼@73⅜c; No. 3 white, 76c. Illinois proportional billing: Sample grade, 34@50c; No. 6 mixed, 61¼@64c; No. 5 mixed, 68@71c; No. 4 mixed, 73c; No. 6 yellow, 59@69½c; No. 5 yellow, 65@71½c; No. 4 yellow, 73@74c; No. 3 yellow, 73½c; No. 6 white, 58@63c; No. 5 white, 67@71c; No. 4 white, 73¼@74c; No. 3 white, 76c.

OATS—Firm, ½c higher. Sales: In store: Mixed lots, 125,000 bu. Track: No. 4 white, 46⅜@47½c; No. 3 white, 47½@48½c; standard, 49@50½c. Illinois proportional billing: Sample grade, 30@44½c; No. 4 white, 45½@47½c; No. 3 white, 47½@47⅜c.

HOG PRODUCTS—Firm. Cash lots: Mess pork, regular, $20.87½@21.00; lard, new, $10.10; short ribs, $10.75@11.37½.

BEEF PRODUCTS—Quiet. Beef hams, $31.50@32.00; extra mess beef, $17.50@18.00; plate beef, $18.00@18.50; extra plate beef, $18.50@19.00. TALLOW—Choice edible, 9⅜@9⅝c; prime packers', 9¼@9½c; No. 1 packers', 8⅝@8⅞c; No. 2 packers', 7⅝@8c; No. 1 renderers', 8¼@8⅝c; choice country, 9¼@9½c; No. 2 country, 7@7½c; oleo stearin, 9⅜@9½c; lard stearin, 11@11¼c; extra oleo, 12⅜@12¼c; oleo stock, 10@11c.

GREASE—Quiet. Brown, 7@7¼c; yellow, 7⅜@7⅝c; choice white, 8¼@8⅝c; house, 7⅝@8c; B white, 8@8½c; A white, 8¼@8⅝c.

HAY.

HAY—Steady. Receipts, 1,248 tons; shipments, 220 tons. Choice timothy, $18.00@18.50; No. 1, $15.50@16.50; No. 2, $13.50@14.50.

STRAW—Rye, $9.00@9.50; oat, $7.50@8.00; wheat, $6.00@7.50.

NEWS AND GOSSIP OF BOARD OF TRADE.

A remarkable feature of the wheat situation is the sudden rise in cash prices in all the leading markets, in spite of the fact that receipts continue large. At Kansas City choice dark No. 2 hard was quoted 2@3@5c over the May, and gulf No. 2 hard, free on board Galveston, was Chicago May price, compared to 6c discount a short time ago. At Duluth, No. 1 northern was quoted a day or so ago at May price to 1c over, while yesterday mills were buying it at 2@5c premium over the May. This evidenced an increasing demand for the wheat from mills in competition with export buying. Kansas City mills were buyers, and were reported to be selling flour in all directions. Locally there was a good demand, with sales of 220,000 bu, mostly to exporters. Omaha reported 200,000 bu hard wheat sold for export, and a round lot was said to have been sold at the gulf. Total sales at the seaboard were reported at 1,400,000 bu.

Buying of corn was on a more general scale than for some time. Commission houses had buying orders early, and houses with country connections were conspicuous on the buying side. Offerings were comparatively small, although there was some profit taking and selling against the offers. Bulls take the position that from now on accumulation will be light and receipts small until next May or June, while the demand is expected to be good for export, with prospects for liberal sales if the corn is available. Warmer weather is expected to cut down receipts of all but better grades of corn, and for the latter a good demand is indicated.

If members of the board of trade vote to increase the commission on job lots of wheat, it is expected efforts will be made to have small lot trading in corn and possibly in oats. There has been considerable talk of introducing trading in small lots of corn. It is understood there is nothing in the rules to prevent trades in lots of 1,000 bu or more being made now, and it is claimed that this would be a convenience for receivers, who would be enabled to hedge carlots to better advantage than at present.

"A year ago this week the visible supply of corn reached its maximum and was the highest in many years," said Bartlett-Frazier. "Domestic demand was continually reported as poor, but nevertheless before July 1 the visible stocks had declined to the smallest figure in five years. This year we have less than half as much in the visible as a year ago, with evidence of an export demand and nothing to indicate that the domestic call is less than a year ago. If 40,000,000 bu was an insufficient supply last year, what about 17,000,000 bu this year?"

A good many crop reports of a bullish nature are being received from this state, Missouri, Oklahoma, and Texas, and there were a few reports from Nebraska which showed considerable apprehension in regard to the outlook. The general opinion is that it is still too early to tell much about the general condition of the wheat crop. According to many traders, conditions have been more favorable than otherwise, as there has been plenty of moisture.

Cash corn prices were steady to 1c up, and oats were ⅛@½c up. Offerings were moderate, and there was a fair demand for corn, a cargo being sold from here for opening of navigation shipment. Local sales were 115,000 bu corn and 120,000 bu oats. The seaboard reported additional sale of a cargo for export.

The Price Current-Crop Reporter said: "The government investigators report that the grain aphis, the green bug, has survived the winter and that it has been found in Texas, Oklahoma, Kansas, Missouri, Tennessee, and Kentucky. As soon as warm weather develops there will be more hurt from both the winter killing and the insect menace."

The Baltimore and Ohio has put an embargo on all grains to Baltimore. Until yesterday Baltimore was about the only Atlantic port not having an embargo of some kind.

Receipts inspected yesterday: Wheat, 144 cars; corn, 424 cars; oats, 120 cars; rye, 10 cars; barley, 44 cars. Hogs estimated for today, 36,000 head.

Minneapolis stocks decreased 375,000 bu for four days, against a decrease of 640,000 bu a year ago.

There were unofficial estimates placing Argentine wheat shipments for the week at 550,000 bu.

Nathaniel H. Morison posted a membership on the board of trade for transfer.

METALS.

NEW YORK, Feb. 16.—COPPER—Firm. Electrolytic, nearby, $28.50; later, $26.75@27.50. IRON—Steady and unchanged. ANTIMONY—Continues firm at 44c per lb for Chinese and Japanese brands. Cookson's and Hallett's descriptions are not being offered freely in the open market, and prices are [illegible]. The regular weekly cable from London quotes Hallett's price at [illegible], with second hands not quoting. The metal exchange quotes tin steady; spot, $41.75@42.25. LEAD—$6.20. SPELTER—Not quoted. At London, spot copper, £104 10s; futures, £103; electrolytic, £128 10s; spot tin, £182; futures, £183. ANTIMONY—£125. LEAD—£32 [illegible]. SPELTER—£100.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Feb. 16.—LEAD—Strong at $6.35. SPELTER—Strong, at $20.00.

BAROMETER OF WHEAT PRICES FOR CHICAGO.

May closed:

Wednesday, Feb. 16	$1.30¼-⅝
Tuesday, Feb. 15	1.28⅝-⅞
Net gain for the day	.02
Wednesday, Feb. 17, 1915	1.60

July closed:

Wednesday, Feb. 16	1.23⅜
Tuesday, Feb. 15	1.21½-22
Net gain for the day	.01½-⅝
Wednesday, Feb. 17, 1915	1.32⅝

Clearances—	Bushels.
Wednesday, Feb. 16	829,000
Wednesday, Feb. 17, 1915	487,000

Visible supply:

Monday, Feb. 14	66,409,000
Monday, Feb. 15, 1915	58,572,000

Yearly range:

	May High.	May Low.		July High.	July Low.
1914-5	$1.67	$ .95	1914-5	$1.43⅝	$1.00
1913-4	1.00	.86⅛	1913-4	.97	.76⅝
1912-3	1.00⅝	.86⅛	1912-3	.96⅝	.84
1911-2	1.19	.96⅛	1911-2	1.15	.92
1910-1	1.19	.84⅝	1910-1	1.00⅛	.84⅝

PRODUCE MARKETS.

EGGS.

CHICAGO, Feb. 16.—Mild weather and increased offerings caused weakness in the market and prices dropped sharply. Receipts were 4,702 cases. Quotations:

Firsts	21c	Dirties	15@16c
Ordinary firsts	20c	Checks	15@15c
Miscellaneous, cases returned	16½@20½c	Extras—Fillers	25c
Do, cases included	19@21c	Cartons	26c

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Feb. 16.—EGGS—Lower; nearby firsts, first class, $7.05; do, current receipts, f. c., $6.90; western extra firsts, f. c., $7.05; do, firsts, f. c., $6.90.

NEW YORK, Feb. 16.—EGGS—Unsettled; receipts, 9,266 cases; fresh gathered, extras, 25@26c; extra firsts, 24@24½c; firsts, 23@23½c; seconds, 22@22½c; nearby hennery whites, fine to fancy, 29@30c; nearby hennery browns, 26@27c.

BUTTER.

CHICAGO, Feb. 16.—Market firm at recently advanced prices. Receipts, 6,117 tubs. Quotations:

Extras	33c	Extra to grocers—Tubs	34c
Extra firsts	30½@31½c	Prints	35c
Firsts	27½@30c	Packing stock	19@20c
Seconds	24@26c		

NEW YORK, Feb. 16.—BUTTER—Strong; receipts, 3,922 tubs; creamery, extras (92 score), 34½c; creamery (higher scoring), 35@35½c; firsts, 29½@33c; seconds, 26½@29c.

CHEESE.

CHICAGO, Feb. 16.—Trade quiet, with high prices restricting consumption. Feeling is weaker. Quotations:

Young Americas	19½c	Daisies, double	18⅝c
Twins	18c	Limburger	16¼@18c
Longhorns	19½c	Swiss	25@30c
Daisies	18½c	Brick	18c

SHEBOYGAN, Wis., Feb. 16.—CHEESE—Longhorns, 18c.

NEW YORK, Feb. 16.—CHEESE—Steady; receipts, 2,455. State, whole milk, flats, held, colored, specials, 18½c; do white, 18c; do colored, average fancy, 18c; do white, 17½c; flats, current make, specials, 17½c; do average run, 17@17½c.

POULTRY.

CHICAGO, Feb. 16.—Live fowls sold ½c lower and the market was dull and weak at the decline. Receipts, 5 cars and 910 coops. Quotations:

Live—		Dressed—	
Fowls	14½c	Fowls	16½@18c
Springs	17c	Springs	16½@17c
Roosters	11½c	Roosters	12@12½c
Turkeys	19c	Ducks	15@17c
Ducks	17c	Turkeys	24@25c
Geese	14@15c	Geese	14@15c

NEW YORK, Feb. 16.—POULTRY—Firm; western chickens, 16c; fowls, 17½c; dressed strong; fresh killed chickens, 16½@27c; fowls, 14½@20c; turkeys, 30c.

VEGETABLES.

CHICAGO, Feb. 16.—Potatoes sold at steady prices and there was more activity in the market for green vegetables. Receipts of potatoes, 30 cars. Quotations:

Beets, brls	$2.00@4.25	Cabbage, brls	90c
Carrots, brls	$3.00@4.25	Cucumbers, dos	75c@1.00
Celery, Michigan	$1.12@2.25	Potatoes, bu	92c@1.02
Pea beans	$3.65@3.85	String beans, hampers	$2.00@3.00
Brown Swedish	$4.25@4.50	Sweet potatoes, Ill., brls	$1.20@2.50
Red kidney	$4.00@5.25	Tomatoes, Cubans	$2.25@2.75
Cauliflower, cases	$2.75@3.00		

FRUITS.

CHICAGO, Feb. 16.—Trade quiet and market steady. Quotations:

Oranges, cases	$2.50@3.50	Cranberries, brls	$6.00@9.00
Apples, brls	$2.75@4.00	Strawberries, Fla., qt	15@25c
Do boxes	$1.50@2.25	Cases 32 qts	$3.50@5.50
Grapefruit, cases	$2.00@3.25		

VEALS.

50@60 lbs	10¼@11½c	90@110 lbs	13@14½c
60@90 lbs	11½@12½c	120@200 lbs	8¼@10c

SOUTH WATER STREET BEEF.

	No. 1.	No. 2.	No. 3.
Ribs	16	13	9½
Loins	25	18	12
Rounds	11½	11	8
Chucks	9¼	9	7½
Plates	8	7½	6

AMERICAN GRAIN MARKETS.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Feb. 16.—WHEAT—Cash No. 1 hard, $1.36; No. 1 northern, $1.30@1.34; to arrive, $1.29⅜@1.33; No. 2 northern, $1.26@1.31; No. 3 wheat, $1.21@1.27; receipts 269 cars, compared with 137 a year ago. Futures: May opened $1.27½, high $1.29½, low $1.27⅜, closed $1.29@1.29⅛; July opened $1.25⅜, high $1.27⅛, low $1.25⅛, closed $1.27⅛. FLOUR—Fancy patents 10c higher, quoted at $7.00; first clears 5c higher, quoted at $5.20; other grades unchanged; shipments, 55,892 brls. BARLEY—60@72c. RYE—95@99c. BRAN—$19.00@22.00. CORN—No. 3 yellow, 77@78c. OATS—No. 3 white, 46@46½c. FLAX—$2.33@2.39.

OMAHA, Neb., Feb. 16.—WHEAT—No. 2 hard, $1.21@1.23; No. 3 hard, $1.16½@1.21. CORN—No. 3 white, 67½@68½c; No. 4 white, 65½@67c; No. 3 yellow, 68⅛@69½c; No. 4 yellow, 66⅛@68c; No. 3, 67⅛@68½c; No. 4, 65⅛@66½c. OATS—No. 3 white, 46½c.

DULUTH, Minn., Feb. 16.—LINSEED—Cash, $2.33½@2.34; May, $2.36; July, $2.36⅝. WHEAT—No. 1 hard, $1.34⅝; No. 1 northern, $1.31⅝; No. 2 northern, $1.29⅜; Montana No. 2 hard, $1.29⅜; May, $1.29⅜@1.29⅝; July, $1.28⅛; durum No. 1, $1.27; No. 2, $1.23⅛; May, $1.26⅛; July, $1.27. OATS—49⅛c. RYE—94@96c. BARLEY—65@77c.

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 16.—WHEAT—Lower. Track: No. 2 red, $1.30@1.34; No. 2 hard, nominal. FLOUR—Steady. Red winter patents, $5.90@6.00; extra fancy and straight, $5.15@5.65; hard winter clears, $4.40@4.85. CORN—Lower. Track: No. 2, 74c; No. 2 white, 77c. OATS—Lower. Track: No. 2, 48½c; No. 2 white, nominal. RYE—Steady, $1.02. Futures: WHEAT—Higher. May, $1.25⅝@1.25⅞; July, $1.20⅛@1.20⅜. CORN—Higher. May, 77⅛c; July, 77⅜c. OATS—Higher. May, 47⅜c; July, nominal.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Feb. 16.—WHEAT—Cash, 1c higher; No. 2 hard, $1.21@1.26; No. 2, $1.17@1.27; No. 2 red, $1.23@1.30; No. 3, $1.17@1.27. CORN—Unchanged to 1c higher; No. 2 mixed, 70⅛@71½c; No. 3, 68⅛@69c; No. 2 white, 72@72c; No. 2, 70c; No. 2 yellow, 72@73c; No. 3, 71½c. OATS—Steady; No. 2 white, 46@49c; No. 2 mixed, 46@47c. RYE—93@94c. HAY—Steady, unchanged. Kaffir—No. 3 white, 96c. Futures: Close: WHEAT—May, $1.20⅜; July, $1.17. CORN—May, 74⅛@74⅜c; July, 74⅛c.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Feb. 16.—WHEAT—No. 1 northern, $1.30@1.34; No. 2 northern, $1.26@1.31; No. 2 hard winter, $1.30@1.32. CORN—No. 3 yellow, 77@78c; No. 3 white, 76@77c; No. 3, 75@76c. OATS—Standard, 48¼@49c; No. 3 white, 47@48c; No. 4 white, 47@48c. RYE—No. 1, $1.01⅝. BARLEY—Malting, 72@77c; feed and rejected, 67@71c; Wisconsin, 72@77c. Futures: WHEAT—May, $1.30⅛; July, $1.26⅜. CORN—May, 79⅛c; July, 79⅛c. OATS—May, 49⅛c; July, 46⅝c.

NEW YORK, Feb. 16.—FLOUR—Firmly held. WHEAT—Spot strong; No. 2 hard, $1.46⅛; No. 1 durum, $1.50⅛; No. 1 northern Duluth, $1.51⅛; and No. 1 northern Manitoba, $1.50⅛, f. o. b., New York. Futures were firmer; May, $1.36⅛. CORN—Spot firm; No. 2 yellow, 86⅛c, c. i. f. New York. OATS—Spot firm; standard, 54@55c. HAY—Firm; No. 1, $1.30@1.35; No. 3, $1.17½@1.22½.

TOLEDO, O., Feb. 16.—WHEAT—Cash, $1.35; May, $1.36⅜; July, $1.27⅞. CLOVERSEED—Prime cash and February, $10.20; March, $12.47½; April, $11.55. ALSIKE—Prime cash, February, and March, $10.10. TIMOTHY—Prime cash and February, $3.52; March, $3.57½.

PEORIA, Ill., Feb. 16.—CORN—No tone. No. 3 white, 69c; No. 4 white, 66¼c; No. 4 yellow, 71½c; No. 3 yellow, 69@69½c; No. 4 mixed, 71½c; No. 3 mixed, 68@69c; sample, 57@71½c. OATS—½c higher. No. 3 white, 46¼c; sample, 43@44c.

Liverpool Grain Market.

LIVERPOOL, Feb. 16.—WHEAT—Spot No. 2 hard winter, new, 16s 6d. CORN—Spot American mixed, new, 10s 3d.

NEW YORK BOND TRANSACTIONS

No. thou.		High.	Low.	Close.
482	Anglo-Fr 5s	94⅝	94½	94⅝
1	Argentine 5s	98	98	98
1	Chinese Ry 5s	76½	76½	76½
22	City Tokio 5s	78⅝	78⅛	78⅝
10	Jap 1st 4½s	88⅝	88⅝	88⅝
1	do German	79	79	79
50	do 2d 4½s German	73⅝	73⅝	73⅝
5	N Y state 4½s	114⅜	114⅜	114⅜
1	N Y City 4½s 1957 May	107⅛	107⅛	107⅛
3	do Nov	107⅛	107⅛	107⅛
16	do 1963	107⅝	107⅝	107⅝
1	do 1965	107⅝	107⅝	107⅝
1	do 4s 1959	98⅝	98⅝	98⅝
2	do 3½s 1955	88⅝	88⅝	88⅝
5	Adams Exp 4s	85	85	85
2	Am Agr Ch 1st 5s	102⅝	102⅝	102⅝
2	do deb 5s	98⅝	98⅝	98⅝
8	Am Cot Oil 5s	97⅝	97⅛	97⅝
16	Am Hide & Lea 6s	104⅝	104⅛	104⅝
24	Am T & T col 4s	92⅝	92⅛	92⅝
32	do cv 4½s	106⅛	106⅛	106⅛
1	Am Thread 4s	98⅛	98⅛	98⅛
5	Am W Paper 5s	70⅝	70⅝	70⅝
6	Armour 4½s	95	95	95
1	Atch cv 5s	101⅛	101⅛	101⅛
84	do gen 4s	95	94⅝	94⅝
2	do adj 4s	88	88	88
15	do R M 4s	88	87⅝	87⅝
9	A C L 1st 4s	93	92⅝	92⅝
5	do 4½s	92	92	92
15	do L & N 4s	88⅝	88⅝	88⅝
25	B & O 3½s	93⅛	93⅛	93⅛
2	do reg	92⅛	92⅛	92⅛
9	do 4s	92⅛	92	92⅛
27	do cv 4½s	98	97⅝	97⅝
12	do W Va 4s	89⅛	89⅛	89⅛
10	Beth Steel fdg 5s	102⅝	102⅝	102⅝
29	B R T 5 notes	101	100⅝	100⅝
10	B U Elev 5s	101⅛	100⅝	101⅛
8	do stamped	101⅛	101⅛	101⅛
1	B U Gas 5s	105⅛	105⅛	105⅛
1	Buffalo & Sus 5s	93	93	93
6	Cal Gas 5s	98⅛	98	98⅛
2	Cent Ga 5s	101⅛	101⅛	101⅛
8	Cent Lea 5s	102⅛	102	102
18	Cent Pac 4s	90⅝	90⅝	90⅝
8	Cent R R N J 5s	118	118	118
9	C & O gen 4½s	92⅝	92⅝	92⅝
7	do cv 4½s	88	87⅝	88
4	C B & Q gen 4s	94⅛	94	94
11	do Den 4s	100	99⅝	99⅝
1	do Ill 4s	95⅛	95⅛	95⅛
1	do Ill 3½s	86⅛	86⅛	86⅛
37	do jt 4s	98⅝	98⅝	98⅝
3	Chgo Ind & S 4s	91⅛	91⅛	91⅛
12	C M & St P gen 5s	107⅛	107	107
19	do gen 4½s	104	103⅛	103⅛
1	do cv 4½s	101⅛	101⅛	101⅛
5	do deb 4s	92⅝	92⅝	92⅝
2	do C & Lake S 5s	103⅝	103⅝	103⅝
8	do C & P W 5s	103⅝	103⅝	103⅝
9	C & N W gen 4s	94⅛	94⅛	94⅛
1	Chgo Ry 5s	98⅛	98⅛	98⅛
1	C R I & P 1st 6s	102⅛	102⅛	102⅛
3	do fdg 4s	67	67	67
23	Chile 7s	132⅛	132	132
3	Cin I St L & C 4s	91⅛	91⅛	91⅛
2	Colo Ind 5s	75⅝	75⅝	75⅝
5	Coml Cable 4s reg	70⅛	70⅛	70⅛
2	Cuban Am Sug 6s	102⅝	102⅝	102⅝
1	Cumb Tel 5s	99⅝	99⅝	99⅝
3	D & H 4½s	101⅛	101⅛	101⅛
1	do fdg 4s	96⅛	96⅛	96⅛
12	D & R G 4s	78⅛	78	78
1	Det Edison 5s	101⅛	101⅛	101⅛
5	Det Uni 4½s	77⅝	77⅛	77⅝
23	Dis Sec 5s	73	72⅛	72⅝
2	Dul & I R 5s	103⅛	103⅛	103⅛
5	E T V & G 5s	105⅛	105⅛	105⅛
1	do inc 5s	101⅛	101⅛	101⅛
1	Erie 1st 7s	111	111	111
4	do gen 4s	76	75⅝	75⅝
5	do cv A	72	72	72
.	do Pa 4s	90	90	90
38	Gen Elec 5s	104⅛	104⅛	104⅛
11	Granby 6s	108⅛	107⅝	107⅝
13	do stamped	108⅛	108	108
1	Grand R & Ind 4½s	98⅝	98⅝	98⅝
5	Gt Falls Pwr 5s	100	100	100
1	Gt Nor 4½s	99⅝	99⅝	99⅝
3	Hock Valley 4½s	95	95	95
9	Hud & Man fdg 5s	75	74⅝	74⅝
2	Ill Cent fdg 4s	89⅝	89⅝	89⅝
2	do 4s 1953	86⅛	86⅛	86⅛
3	Ill Steel deb 4½s	92⅝	92⅝	92⅝
8	Ind Steel 5s	103	102⅝	103
14	Int Met 4½s	74⅛	74⅛	74⅛
58	Int R T fdg 5s	99⅝	99⅝	99⅝
203	Int Mer Mar 4½s ctfs	97⅝	96⅝	97⅝
5	Int Pump 5s ctfs	76⅛	76⅛	76⅛
2	Ia Cent 5s	80⅛	80⅛	80⅛
29	do 4s	60	59⅝	59⅝
6	K C F S & M 6s	110⅝	110⅝	110⅝
9	do 4s	77	76⅝	76⅝
1	K C & Pac 4s	61	61	61
7	K C So 3s	70⅛	70⅛	70⅛
26	K C Term 4s	88⅝	88⅝	88⅝
21	Lack Steel 5s 1923	100⅛	100	100⅛
22	do 1950	95⅛	95	95
1	Lac Gas fdg 5s	101	101	101
12	Lake Shore 4s 1928	95⅛	95	95⅛
27	do 1931	95	94⅝	95
5	Lig & M 7s	127	127	127
1	do 5s	103⅛	103⅛	103⅛
2	Lorillard 5s	101⅛	101⅛	101⅛
4	L & N M & M 4½s	100⅝	100⅝	100⅝
3	do Paducah & M 4s	90⅝	90⅝	90⅝
10	do S & N A 5s 1963	108	108	108
5	Man Ry 4s	92⅛	92⅛	92⅛
3	Mex Petroleum 6s	110	110	110
9	do C	110	110	110
24	Mich Cent 4s	90⅛	90⅛	90⅛
5	Milw Gas 4s	93	93	93
21	Minn & St L 4s	64⅛	64	64
10	M S S M & Atl 4s	97⅝	97⅝	97⅝
13	M St P & S S M 4s	98⅝	98⅝	98⅝
3	M K & E 5s	89⅛	89⅛	89⅛
7	M K & T 1st 4s	77⅝	77	77
12	do 2d 4s	47⅝	47⅛	47⅝
5	do fdg 4s	52⅝	52⅝	52⅝
8	do 4½s	39	39	39
1	do of Tex 5s	60⅝	60⅝	60⅝
18	Mo Pac 6s	100⅝	100⅝	100⅝
13	do 4s	42	41	41
95	do ctfs	40	40	40
1	Nat Tube 5s	101⅝	101	101
1	N Y Air Brake 6s	104⅝	104⅝	104⅝
179	N Y Cent 6s	115⅝	115	115
41	do 4½s	95⅝	95⅛	95⅛
10	do 4s 1934	92⅝	92⅝	92⅝
13	do fdg 3½s	83⅝	83⅛	83⅛
1	do L S 3½s	77⅛	77⅛	77⅛
10	do ctfs	87	87	87
1	N Y C & St L 4s	94⅛	94⅛	94⅛
1	N Y G E L H & P 5s	105⅝	105⅝	105⅝
1	do 4s	86⅛	86⅛	86⅛
2	N Y N H & H 4s	80⅝	80⅝	80⅝
4	do 3½s 1956	71⅛	71⅛	71⅛
1	N Y O & W 1st 4s	83⅛	83⅛	83⅛
20	N Y Rys fdg 4s	77⅝	77	77
185	do adj 5s	62⅝	61⅝	61⅝
1	N Y Sus & W fdg 5s	98⅛	98⅛	98⅛
15	N Y Tel 4½s	99⅛	98⅝	99⅛
2	N & W ext 6s	121⅛	121⅛	121⅛
11	do cv 4½s	116⅛	116⅛	116⅛
34	do con 4s	93⅛	93⅛	93⅛
8	do Poca 4s	89⅝	89⅝	89⅝
39	N P 4s	94⅛	93⅝	93⅝
3	do 3s	66⅛	66⅛	66⅛
1	Ont Pwr 5s	95⅛	95⅛	95⅛
1	Ore & Cal 5s	102	102	102
14	O S L fdg 4s	93⅝	93⅛	93⅛
2	Pac Tel 5s	101	101	101
23	Pa gen 4½s	102⅝	102⅛	102⅝
6	do 4½s 1921	101⅛	101⅛	101⅛
2	do 4s 1948	99⅝	99⅝	99⅝
1	Pac Gas 5s	101⅛	101⅛	101⅛
1	Pgh C C & St L 4½s	102⅝	102⅛	102⅛
6	Pub Svc N J 5s	90⅛	90	90
4	Ry Steel Spgs I o 5s	98⅝	98⅝	98⅝
57	Rdg gen 4s	95⅝	95⅛	95⅝
3	Rep I & S 5s	99⅛	99	99
10	Rio G W 4s	75⅛	75⅛	75⅛
3	Roch & Pgh 1st 6s	108⅛	108⅛	108⅛
2	St L I M & S 5s	102⅝	102⅝	102⅝
6	do 4s	80⅛	80⅛	80⅛
10	do R & G 4s	73⅛	73⅛	73⅛
3	St L & S F 5s	46⅛	46⅛	46⅛
5	do fdg 4s ctfs	62⅝	62⅝	62⅝
1	do stamped	62⅝	62⅝	62⅝
10	St L S W 1st 4s	78⅝	78⅝	78⅝
5	St P M & M 4½s	103⅛	103⅛	103⅛
5	do Mont 4s	96⅝	96⅝	96⅝
25	S V & N E 4s	93⅛	93⅛	93⅛
2	S A L fdg 4s	70⅛	70⅛	70⅛
9	do adj 5s	67	66⅝	67
20	So Bell Tel 5s	101⅛	101⅛	101⅛
5	So Pac cv 5s	105⅝	105⅝	105⅝
25	do col 4s	88	87⅝	88
20	do cv 4s	89	88⅝	88⅝
21	do fdg 4s	90⅝	90⅝	90⅝
2	do S F 4s	85⅛	85⅛	85⅛
34	So Ry 4s	72⅝	72⅛	72⅝
3	Term Assn 4s	87⅛	87⅛	87⅛
8	Tex Co cv 6s	105⅛	105⅛	105⅛
1	Tex & Okla 5s	63	63	63
12	Tex & Pac 1st 5s	96⅝	96	96
3	Third Ave 1st 5s	107	107	107
10	do fdg 4s	82⅝	82⅛	82⅝
3	do adj 5s	84⅛	84	84⅛
2	Tol & O C 5s	103⅛	103⅛	103⅛
16	Tri City 5s	99⅛	99⅛	99⅛
22	U P 4s	97⅝	97⅝	97⅝
2	do cv 4s	98⅛	98⅛	98⅛
22	do fdg 4s	91⅛	90⅝	90⅝
6	Uni R R S F 4s	44	43⅝	43⅝
10	U S Rub 6s	103⅛	103	103
68	U S S 5s	105	104⅝	104⅝
2	Va Chem 6s	103	103	103
22	do 5s	99⅝	99⅝	99⅝
11	Va Ry 5s	98⅝	98⅛	98⅝
4	Wab 1st 5s	105	105	105
8	do 2d 5s	98	98	98
50	do Pgh 2d 4s	⅛	⅛	⅛
1	Westchester Lt 5s	104⅝	104⅝	104⅝
5	Western Md 4s	72⅝	72⅝	72⅝
4	West N Y & P 4s	82⅛	82⅛	82⅛
1	W U 5s	101⅛	101⅛	101⅛
2	West Shore 4s	92	92	92
12	do reg	89⅛	89⅛	89⅛
2	W & L E 4s	69⅛	69⅛	69⅛
10	Wis Cent 4s	87⅝	87	87
4	do S & D 4s	89⅝	89⅝	89⅝

NEWS OF THE COURTS

Illinois Supreme Court.

Springfield, Ill., Feb. 16.—[Special.]—Opinions were filed and decisions handed down in the Supreme court today as follows:

Judgment affirmed—People State of Illinois vs. Brady et al.; Nakwasa, appellant, vs. Western Paper Stock company; Keltiley, appellant, vs. Mutual Life Insurance company; Mercantile Trust company, a corporation, plaintiff in error, vs. Kastor; Pieronimus et al., appellees, vs. Morgan; McCoy et al., plaintiffs in error, vs. Union Elevated Railroad company et al.; Arnold, defendant, vs. Dodson; City of Chicago, appellee, vs. Sanitary District of Chicago et al.; Alton and Southern railroad, appellee, vs. Vandalia Railroad company; Supolski, defendant in error, vs. Ferguson and Lange Foundry company; Wayne City Drainage district et al., appellants, vs. Mayberry et al.; People ex rel. Charlton, county collector, etc., vs. Ward; Hatcher, defendant in error, vs. Quincy Horse Railroad and Carrying company; People ex rel. Mosby, appellee, vs. Stevenson et al.; Eastern Illinois State Normal school, plaintiff in error, vs. City of Charleston; People ex rel. Stoutenborough, county collector, appellee, vs. Cleveland, Cincinnati, Chicago and St. Louis Railroad company; People State of Illinois, vs. Seymour; Lyons, appellee, vs. Lyons; People State of Illinois, defendant in error, vs. Montgomery; Lichtenstein et al., defendants in error, vs. L. Fish Furniture company; City of Canton, appellee, vs. Illinois Central Electric Railroad company; People ex rel. Connery, appellant, vs. Burdette et al.; Green et al., defendants in error, vs. L. Fish Furniture company; People ex rel. Lucey, attorney general, appellee, vs. Adams State bank; Lyons, appellant, vs. Becker et al.; Stouffer, appellant, vs. Becker et al.; People, appellee, vs. Bauder et al.; State Public Utilities Commission ex rel. Wabash Railroad company et al., appellees, vs. Illinois Central Railroad company; Daube, appellee, vs. Kuppenheimer et al.; State Public Utilities Commission ex rel. Alton and Southern Railroad company, appellee, vs. Vandalia Railroad company; Devine, admr., etc., defendant in error, vs. Delano et al.; Blackmore et al., appellants, vs. Sutton et al.; People State of Illinois, defendants in error, vs. Hohlmer et al.

Decree affirmed—Richardson, appellant, vs. Van Gundy et al.; people ex rel. Lucey, attorney general, appellee, vs. Metropolitan State bank; Cox et al., appellees, vs. Deverick et al.; Hunt, appellant, vs. Hunt Jr. et al.; Gillett, appellant, vs. Teal; Barrett, appellant vs. Chicago Terminal Transfer R. R. Co. et al.; Central Union Telephone Co. et al., appellees, vs. Onken, city treas., et al.; Bowen, appellant, vs. Russell et al.; Crittenden et al., appellants, vs. Hindman, alias etc.; Snyder, appellant, vs. French et al.; Garrity, appellee, vs. Rigor et al.; Feulner et al., appellees, vs. Feulner et al.; Van Gundy et al., appellees, vs. Tandy et al.; Mortell, appellant, vs. Clark et al.; Bacon, appellant, vs. Reichelt et al.

Reversed and remanded—Fellows-Kimbrough, defendant in error, vs. Chicago City R. R. Co.; Baxworthy et al., defendants in error, vs. Maison Sr. et al.; Leaney, appellee, vs. Oregon Short Line R. R. Co.; Russell, appellee, vs. Oregon Short Line R. R. Co.; Frensley, admr., etc., defendant in error, vs. Kinlock Bloomington Telephone Co. et al.; Betz et al., defendants in error, vs. Farling et al.; Calumet and Chicago Canal and Dock Co. et al., defendants in error, vs. Conkling et al.; Arbor, admr., etc., defendant in error, vs. Niblock; H. and A. Israelstam, a copartnership doing business as Grant Works Fair, appellee, vs. U. S. Casualty Co.

Reversed and remanded with directions—Barto et al., plaintiffs in error, vs. Conrad et al.; Jonas et al., defendants in error, vs. Jonas et al.; people ex rel Jourdan, county collector, appellee, vs. Illinois Central R. R. Co.; Kelly, admr., etc., appellee, vs. Kelly et al.; people ex rel Holmes, county collector, appellee, vs. Cleveland, Cincinnati, Chicago and St. Louis Ry. Co.; people ex rel Gray, county collector, appellee, vs. Cleveland, Cincinnati, Chicago and St. Louis Ry. Co.; people ex rel Dailey, county collector, appellee, vs. Ross, receiver; people ex rel Dale, county collector, appellee, vs. Ross, receiver; people ex rel Kastning, plaintiff in error, vs. Militzer et al.; Strickland et al., appellees, vs. Strickland et al.; Shelby, defendant in error, vs. Shelby; Gebs et al., appellants, vs. Huffendick et al.; Loomis et al., appellees, vs. Collins et al.; Pitzer, appellant, vs. Morrison et al.; Sellers et al., appellees, vs. Elliot et al.; Vaughn et al., appellants, vs. Vaughn et al.; people ex rel Dwight H. Perkins, appellant, vs. board of commissioners; Dickerson et al., appellants, vs. English; Maniere, appellee, vs. Lemmon, executor, etc.

Judgment reversed—City of Chicago, defendant in error, vs. Chicago City Railway Co.; Schmidt et al., plaintiffs in error, vs. J. F. Schmidt Bros. Co. et al.; people ex rel Holmes, county treasurer, etc., appellee, vs. Grant; O'Hare et al., plaintiffs in error, vs. Johnston et al.; Municipal Engineering and Contracting Co. et al. vs. Alexander Lumber Co. et al.; Meehan et al., appellee, vs. Parsons et al.; Sangamon and Drummer drainage district, etc., defendants in error, vs. Illinois Central R. R. Co.

Appeal dismissed—People ex rel. Bothman et al., appellee vs. Brown et al.

Cause transferred—Maciarz Folska in U. S. of North America, defendant in error, vs. Czarnecki.

Rule made absolute—People ex rel. Lucey, attorney general, relator, vs. Stonecipher.

Cause transferred Appellate court, First district—Iles et al., defendants in error, vs. Heldenreich et al.

Cause transferred Appellate court, Fourth district—Thomas et al., appellants, vs. Dodge et al.

Decree reversed and cause remanded—Harty, appellee, vs. Giese et al.

Writ dismissed—Modern Woodmen of America vs. Nyquist.

Writ denied—People ex rel. Oliver et al., relators, vs. Stevenson.

Affirmed in part, reversed in part and remanded with directions—People ex rel. Robinson, county collector, appellee, vs. Cincinnati, Lafayette and Chicago railway company.

Cause transferred Appellate court, Second district—Strom, appellee, vs. Postal Telegraph Cable company.

The Supreme court through Charles W. Vail, clerk, made the following announcements today:

People ex rel. Chicago Bar association vs. Miles S. Macon; motion by respondent for six days' time in which to complete his testimony and for six days' additional time to file abstracts and briefs allowed.

People ex rel. Gas Light and Coke Co. vs. Frederick A. Smith; motion for leave to file petition for mandamus allowed and writ ordered issued, returnable first day of next term.

People ex rel. Holden vs. Sweitzer; motion to file petition for mandamus allowed and writ ordered issued, returnable first day of next term.

People ex rel. Kerner vs. William Abbott, as mayor; motion for supersedeas allowed.

Munn et al. vs. Industrial Board of Illinois; statute makes writ of error issued in cases of this character a supersedeas and no order of court is necessary.

People ex rel. McCarthy vs. Trude, judge; motion to file petition for mandamus denied.

People ex rel. Garretson vs. Byers, county clerk; demurrer sustained and writ denied; judgment against relator for costs.

Trego vs. Cunningham; motion by defendant in error to correct judgment.

People ex rel. Dorris vs. Lattaspi et al.; submitted on briefs and oral argument by W. C. Kane for plaintiff in error and W. F. Scott for defendant in error.

Disquet et al. vs. Dasse et al.; submitted on briefs and oral argument by Arthur G. Fort for appellant and W. H. Foster for appellee.

Town of Cortland vs. Larson; submitted on briefs.

Riley vs. Webb et al.; submitted on briefs.

Hurlbut vs. Talbot et al.; submitted on briefs.

People ex rel. Clifton vs. Swearingen et al.; submitted on briefs; petition for rehearing, answer, and reply.

People vs. Holtzman; motion by plaintiff in error to file reply briefs instanter allowed.

Harts vs. Giese; motion by appellee to retax costs denied.

Trego vs. Cunningham; motion by defendant in error to correct judgment allowed.

People ex rel. Bloom vs. Whitman, superintendent house of correction; motion for writ of habeas corpus denied.

Adjourned until court in course.

Petitions in Bankruptcy.

Gertrude M. Kelley, boarding house keeper, 4343 Harper avenue; liabilities, $1,888; assets, $700.

Joseph Capellman and Margaret Capellman, individually and as copartners, doing business as the Burr Oak hotel, Blue Island, Ill. Partnership liabilities, $684.22; assets, $37½. Joseph Capellman, individual liabilities, $186.12; no assets. Margaret Capellman, individual liabilities, $684.12; no assets.

Watrous-Kemp Advertising company, 14 East Jackson boulevard. Liabilities, $38,623.30; assets, $21,520.79.

CATTLE VALUES CONTINUE CLIMB

Prices Rise 10@15 Cents; Hogs Also Gain; Sheep Steady; Lambs Drop.

LIVE STOCK QUOTATIONS.

CATTLE.

Beef steers, good to choice	$8.25@ 9.55
Beef steers, fair to good	7.15@ 8.25
Beef steers, plain light to fair	5.50@ 7.15
Yearlings	8.00@ 9.55
Beef cows	4.50@ 7.25
Heifers, fair to selected	4.65@ 8.00
Canners and cutters	3.50@ 4.50
Good to prime vealers	8.75@11.00
Bulls	4.75@ 6.75

HOGS.

Bulk of sales	$8.00@8.30
Common to good mixed	7.90@8.15
Fair to choice medium weights	8.15@8.30
Lightweights	7.95@8.25
Fair to choice butchers	8.25@8.40
Select 260@300 lb packing	8.20@8.30
Boars, according to weight	2.75@4.00
Pigs	6.15@6.90
Stags	7.40@7.75

SHEEP.

Western wethers	$ 7.50@ 8.40
Yearlings	8.50@10.00
Western ewes	6.00@ 8.00
Bucks	5.50@ 6.75
Native lambs	9.25@11.00
Fed western lambs	9.50@11.40
Cull lambs	8.00@ 9.25
Colorado lambs	10.00@11.50

Cattle values at Chicago yesterday continued their upward climb, selling 10@25c higher for the day and standing 25@40c higher than at the close last week. Light receipts were responsible for the firmness, arrivals for the day being only 24,000 head. General quality was ordinary and few sales were made at higher than $9.00 for steers, although a top of $9.55 was reached, and a band of college fed beeves sold up to $10.25. Cows and heifers made firm to 10c higher prices, while calves were easier, with prime vealers at $11.00.

Hog prices averaged 10c higher than on Tuesday, and topped at $8.40. Receipts were 45,000 head. The trade was uneven, with shippers and speculators the most consistent buyers. Packers followed the advanced prices with reluctance. Shippers were credited with purchases of 9,000 head, and packers and butchers took 33,000 head, leaving about 7,000 unsold. The bulk of the supply made $8.00@8.30. Pigs sold 25c lower and met with little demand at the decline.

Sheep Steady; Lambs Decline.

Sheep and yearlings held on a steady basis, while lambs were mostly 10c lower. Receipts were posted at 18,000 head. College fed western lambs topped the market at $11.50, while farm fed stock reached $11.30. Native ewes made $8.25 in small lots.

Hog purchases for the day: Armour & Co., 8,000; Swift & Co., 3,200; Sulzberger & Sons, 2,500; Morris & Co., 2,500; Anglo-American, 2,000; Hammond, 1,600; Boyd-Lunham, 1,500; Roberts & Oake, 1,200; Western Packing company, 2,800; Miller & Hart, 800; Independent Packing company, 3,500; Brennan Packing company, 1,000; butchers, 3,000; shippers, 9,000; total, 42,600; left over, 7,000.

Chicago Live Stock Movement.

Receipts—	Cattle.	Calves.	Hogs.	Sheep.
Tuesday, Feb. 15	5,361	3,100	32,689	12,290
Wednesday, Feb. 9	17,081	2,182	49,047	9,287
Wed'day, Feb. 16	14,000	2,000	45,000	18,000
Shipments—				
Tuesday, Feb. 15	772	185	7,935	4,496
Wednesday, Feb. 9	2,677	124	12,055	2,902
Wed'day, Feb. 16	2,500	100	18,000	4,000

Receipts for Feb. 17 were estimated at 5,000 cattle, 37,000 hogs, and 15,000 sheep, against actual arrivals of 3,746 cattle, 40,613 hogs, and 12,474 sheep for Thursday, Feb. 18, 1915.

Live Stock Markets Elsewhere.

NATIONAL STOCKYARDS, Ill., Feb. 16.—HOGS—Receipts, 11,800; market 5c higher; pigs and lights, $6.50@8.30; mixed and butchers, $8.10@8.40; good, heavy, $8.35@8.45. CATTLE—Receipts, 2,800; market strong to 10c higher. SHEEP—Receipts, 2,800; steady; lambs, $9.00@11.25.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., Feb. 16.—CATTLE—Steady; supply light. SHEEP—Higher; supply light; lambs, $7.50@11.00. HOGS—Steady; receipts, 15 double decks; prime heavies, $8.60; mediums and heavy Yorkers, $8.50@8.55; light Yorkers, $8.25@8.35; pigs, $7.75@8.00; roughs, $7.50@7.75.

KANSAS CITY, Feb. 16.—HOGS—Receipts, 13,000; 5c higher. Bulk, $7.75@8.20; heavy, $8.05@8.22½; packers and butchers, $7.90@8.20; light, $7.75@8.00; pigs, $6.50@7.75. CATTLE—Receipts, 4,000; steady to strong. SHEEP—Receipts, 11,000; steady to 15c lower. Lambs, $10.25@11.00.

OMAHA, Neb., Feb. 16.—HOGS—Receipts, 16,000; higher; heavy, $7.90@8.00; light, $7.70@7.90; pigs, $6.50@7.50; bulk of sales, $7.80@7.90. CATTLE—Receipts, 4,900; strong. SHEEP—Receipts, 12,000; steady; lambs, $10.40@11.00.

BUFFALO, N. Y., Feb. 16.—CATTLE—Receipts, 400; slow. HOGS—Receipts, 8,000; slow. Heavy and mixed, $8.55@8.60; yorkers, $8.00@8.55; pigs, $7.75@8.00; roughs, $7.40@7.50; stags, $5.00@5.75. SHEEP—Receipts, 1,400; active. Lambs, $8.00@12.00.

ST. PAUL, Minn., Feb. 16.—HOGS—Receipts, 11,000; steady; range, $7.50@8.00; bulk, $7.70@7.85. CATTLE—Receipts, 2,200; steady. SHEEP—Receipts, 7,800; steady; lambs, $6.00@10.50.

ST. JOSEPH, Mo., Feb. 16.—HOGS—Receipts, 4,500; strong to 5c higher; top, $8.20; bulk, $7.85@8.10. CATTLE—Receipts, 1,600; steady. SHEEP—Receipts, 2,500; slow; lambs, $10.00@11.10.

SIOUX CITY, Ia., Feb. 16.—CATTLE—Receipts, 2,500; higher. HOGS—Receipts, 12,000; 5@10c higher; top, $8.05; bulk, $7.80@8.00. SHEEP—Receipts, 500; steady.

NEW YORK, Feb. 16.—CATTLE—Receipts, 1,936. SHEEP—Receipts, 3,350; firm. HOGS—Receipts, 4,500; weak. Light to heavy, $8.40@8.75; rough, $7.25@7.50.

COFFEE AND SUGAR.

NEW YORK, Feb. 16.—COFFEE—The market for coffee futures showed renewed strength and activity today, with prices making another set of new high records. Firmness in the Brazilian markets and the continued light primary receipts seemed to increase the confidence of buyers and there was buying for trade accounts as well as covering, and some fresh support through commission houses. The market opened at an advance of 4 to 6 points and sold 14 to 17 points net higher during the day, with March contracts reaching the 8c level or 169 points below the low level of last September, while December sold at 8.34, or 88 points above the low level of last week. There was a good deal of realizing on the advance, but the demand continued active and the close was 14 to 17 points net higher, or at the best point of the day. Sales, including exchanges from March to later deliveries, amounted to 86,750 bags. February, 7.94c; March, 8.00c; April, 8.05c; May, 8.11c; June, 8.16c; July, 8.20c; August, 8.24c; September, 8.27c; October, 8.29c; November, 8.31c; December, 8.34c; January, 8.37c. Spot coffee firm; Rio 7s, 9¼c; Santos 4s, 10½c. It is reported that spot business has been less active since the large sales reported earlier in the week, but that holders are very firm, owing to uncertainty regarding the costs of replacing available supplies. The cost and freight market was unsettled, with quotations irregular. The official cables reported advances of 50@100 reis in the primary markets and a further advance of 3-32d in the rate of Rio exchange on London. Receipts at the two Brazilian ports were 26,000 bags. Jundiahy receipts, 12,000 bags. SUGAR—Raw; Centrifugal, 5.02c; molasses, 4.25c; and Cuban, cost and freight, 4c. Refined unchanged at 6.10c for fine granulated. Futures: March, 4.08@4.09c; closing, 4.09c. March, 4.12@4.12c; closing, 4.16c. July, 4.22@4.26c; closing, 4.25c. September, 4.32@4.36c; closing, 4.35c. December, 4.30@4.31c; closing, 4.32c.

CHICAGO, Feb. 16.—SUGAR—The following prices are quoted by wholesale dealers for 100 lbs: Cut loaf, H. & E., $7.40; powdered, standard, $6.85; standard cane granulated, $6.60; beet granulated, $6.65; extra C, $6.05; coarsey, $6.65.

DRY GOODS.

NEW YORK, Feb. 16.—Cotton goods ruled firm and active today. Worsted and cotton yarns were firm, with a brisk demand. Jobbers were busy and ready to wear manufacturers received large orders.

IN FOREIGN STOCK MARKETS.

LONDON, Feb. 16.—Money was in only moderate supply today, last week's sales of treasury bills ($7,500,000) and exchequer bonds ($11,000,000), together with the income tax collections, having left the market pretty bare of funds. Discount rates were firm. On the stock exchange Premier Asquith's warning of forthcoming heavy taxation tended to check business in most directions, except low priced issues like rubber, oil, and gold mining shares, which were active and steady. Copper stocks reacted under profit taking, while American securities moved quietly and irregularly. American cable transfers were quiet at 4.76@4.76¼. Bar silver, 26 15-16d per ounce. Money, 4@4½ per cent. Discount rates—Short bills and three months, 5½ per cent.

PARIS, Feb. 16.—Trading was quiet on the bourse today. Rentes, 61 francs. Exchange on London, 28 francs 4 centimes.

OILS.

CHICAGO, Feb. 16.—OILS—Wholesale prices on carbon and other oils: Standard white, 10½c; perfection, 10c; headlight, 17½, 10½c; Water white, 15½c; V. M. P. naphtha, 17c; linseed oil, 78c; boiled, 79c; turpentine, 64c; summer black oil, 7c; winter black oil, 7½c; Red Crown gasoline, 17½c; gas machine gasoline, 33c. These prices apply to barrel lots f. o. b. Chicago.

NEW YORK, Feb. 16.—COTTON SEED OIL—Prime crude, $8.60@8.82; prime summer yellow, $9.65; February, $9.70; March, $9.71; April, $9.56; May and June, $9.45; July, $9.49; August, $9.45; September, $9.47; prime winter yellow and summer white, $9.75@10.50.

OIL CITY, Pa., Feb. 16.—Credit balances, $2.35. Runs, 59,012; average, 67,797; shipments, 38,733; average, 42,174.

RESIN AND TURPENTINE.

SAVANNAH, Ga., Feb. 16.—TURPENTINE—Dull, 55c. Sales, none; receipts, 22 casks; shipments, 269 casks; stock, 10,197 casks. RESIN—Steady. Sales, 574 brls; receipts, 2,597 brls; shipments, 1,521 brls; stock, 85,051 brls. Quote: A, B, C, D, E, $5.30; F, $5.35; G, $5.35; F, $5.35@5.35; G, $5.35@5.35; H, $5.35; I, $5.45; K, $5.65; M, $6.20; N, $6.75; WG, $7.20; WW, $7.35.

NEW INCORPORATIONS.

NEW CORPORATIONS WERE LICENSED yesterday by the secretary of state at Springfield as follows:

Burnett-Kuhn Advertising company, Chicago; capital, $14,000; incorporators, Paul Kuhn, John Burnham, J. Sidney Burnet, George Snyder.

Calumet Furniture and Carpet company, Chicago; capital, $1,000; incorporators, Charles Kaufer, Louis Kuhn, Frances Kuhn.

Dunlap Mill company, Olive Branch; capital, $1,000; incorporators, Walter F. Wilbourne, Frank Dunlap, G. E. Childers.

Eureka Smokeless Furnace company, Chicago; capital, $30,000; incorporators, Josie Peck, Herman T. Becker, M. J. Moore.

The Farmers' Grain Company of Benson and Skelton, Ill., Benson; capital, $30,000; incorporators, Tim Welch, Edward Abbott, George Reichle.

Fort Dearborn Foundry company, Chicago; capital, $5,000; incorporators, Charles H. Page, Drummond D. English, William Garnett.

Kankakee Automobile company, Kankakee; capital, $25,000; incorporators, E. L. Chiniquy, O. L. Chiniquy, R. E. Parker.

Lorenso Manufacturing Company of Chicago, Chicago; capital, $10,000; incorporators, J. Lorenso, F. S. Lorenso, M. Gump.

The Miami Products company, Chicago; capital, $150,000; incorporators, Francis E. Marsh, Chester D. Tripp, Harry W. Lippincott.

CHANGES.

The American Shipping company, Chicago; decrease in directors.

Railway Educational Press, Chicago; capital stock increased from $2,500 to $30,000.

Rockford Milling Machine company, Rockford; capital stock increased from $100,000 to $500,000.

Cass County Telephone and Telegraph company, Virginia; capital stock increased from $25,000 to $35,000.

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APARTMENTS—NORTH SIDE.

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REAL ESTATE—FARM LANDS.

Michigan.

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Oklahoma.

Government

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